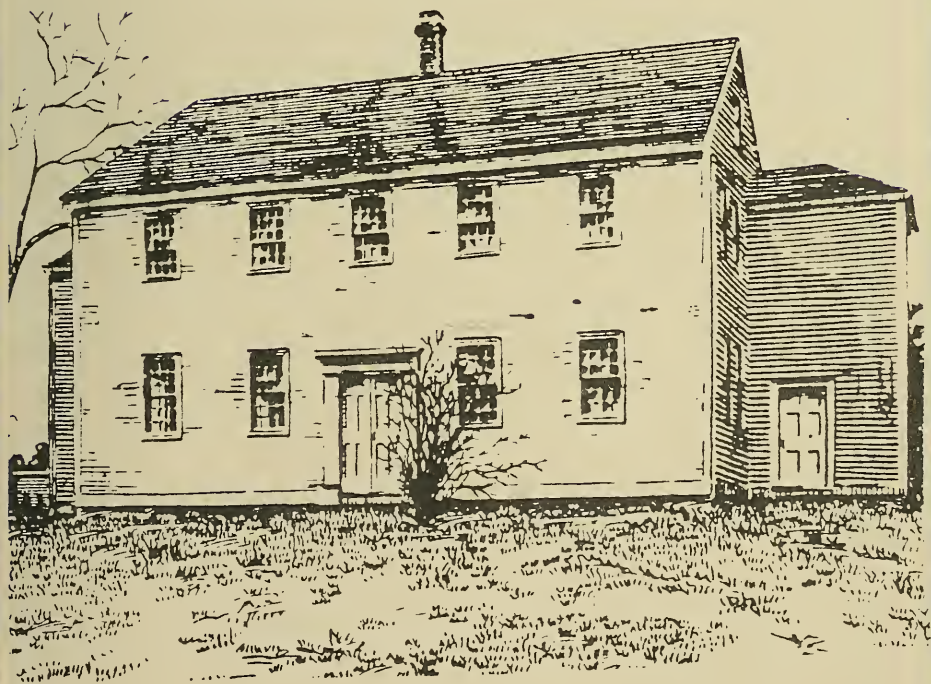


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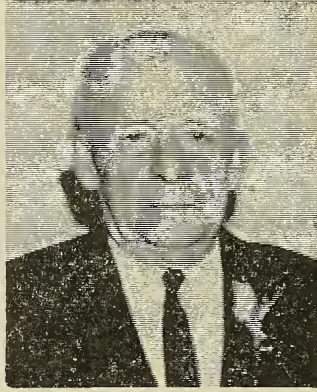
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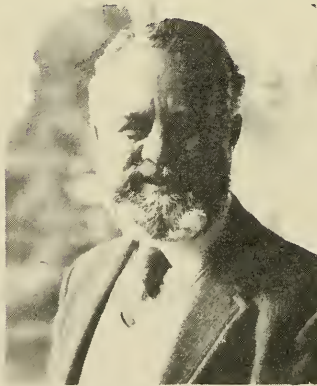
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LAURENCE A. PETTENGILL

August 20, 1892 — May 5, 1977

Tax Collector — 1938-1973
Trustee of Trust Funds — 1948-1972
Deputy Fire Warden — 1940-1966
Planning Board — 1945-1951
Board of Adjustment — 1947-1948
Town Moderator — 1956-1967
School Board — 1941-1966



WILLIAM S. BUTLER

October 4, 1921 — May 3, 1977

Tax Collector — 1974-1976
Board of Adjustment — 1970-1976
Budget Committee — 1973-1976

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Town Officers and Boards

SELECTMEN

	<i>Term Expires</i>
Charles M. Healey	1978
Robert A. Waddell	1979
George H. Baker, Jr.	1980

TOWN CLERK

Elizabeth J. Stanley, <i>Town Clerk</i>	1978
Mary A. Anderson, <i>Deputy Town Clerk</i>	1978

TREASURER

Ruth M. Doucette	1978
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TAX COLLECTOR

Mary A. Anderson	1978
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LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Lucy Schramm	1978
Ann Davis, <i>Resigned July 7, 1977</i>	1979
Orris Johnson, <i>Appointed to Town Meeting 1978</i>	
John T. Kalinowski	1980

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Leonard L. Bonagura	1978
Charles Hutchins	1979
Philip A. Davis, Jr.	1980

MODERATOR

Stuart Langton	1978
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SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Mary J. Vetter, <i>Resigned</i>	1978
Barbara Baker, <i>Appointed to Town Meeting</i>	
Arthur S. Bean	1980
Henry Turner	1982

POLICE CHIEF

Frederick L. O'Brien	1978
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ROAD AGENT

Leon F. Holmes	1978
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AUDITOR

Herman Ostendorf	1978
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APPOINTED OFFICIALS

Director of Civil Defense	Glen Hutchin.
Overseer of Public Welfare	Charles M. Healey
Ballot Inspectors	Dorothy Beede Vera Crooker Mildred Balestra Carrie Gove
Police Officers	Joan O'Brien Gordon Copp Wayne Robinson Guerwood Holmes
Fire Department	Richard Heselton, <i>Chief</i>
Fire Warden	Richard Heselton, <i>Warden</i>
Deputy Fire Wardens	George McIntosh Gordon Copp Henry Turner Lloyd Metevier Charles Rowe
Librarian	Helen Seavey
Dog Constables	Police
Health Officer	Kenneth Shute

PLANNING BOARD

Charles K. Rowe	1978
Richard Stanley	1979
Hollis Anderson, III	1980
Stephen Menard	1981
Robert Terry	1982
Elmer A. Schramm	1983

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Charles S. Buhrman	1978
John Gieroch	1979
Stuart Langton	1980
Richard P. Stanley	1981
Roberta Huckins	1982

Alternates

Larry Whitman	1980
John Rice	1980

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Thomas R. Hull	1978
Elmer A. Schramm	1978
Philip Peterson	1979
Nancy Huckins	1979
Richard Sheldon	1980
Joan Langton	1980

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Leonard L. Bonagura 1979
John Kalinowski, *Appointed until March Town Meeting*. 1978
Richard Heselton, *Appointed until March Town Meeting*. 1978
Ann Davis, *School Board Representative*
Robert A. Waddell, *Selectmen's Representative*

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Kenneth Shute

REPRESENTATIVE TO EXETER AREA VISITING NURSE

Rev. Charles L. Banks

Warrant for Town Meeting

To the inhabitants of the Town of Fremont in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Fremont Town Hall in said Fremont on Tuesday the fourteenth day of March next at ten of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To hear the report of the Budget Committee and take such action as the Town deems necessary.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to be deposited in the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976 and authorize the withdrawal of this sum for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.
5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following specific purposes and in the amounts indicated herewith; and further to authorize the Selectmen to make pro rata reductions in the amounts if estimated entitlements are reduced or take any other action hereon:

<i>Appropriations</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Newmarket Health Center - Article 7	300.00
Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center - Article 8	200.00
Mosquito Control Materials - Article 9	500.00
Animal Shelter Facilities - Article 10	500.00
Tax Map Revisions - Article 12	500.00
Town Hall - Heat, Light	1,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00
Street Lighting	2,100.00
Frink Snow Plow - Article 13	2,300.00

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the support of the Exeter Children and Youth Project.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the support of the Newmarket Health Center, Inc.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the support of the Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to offset the cost of Mosquito Control Materials used by the Rockingham County Mosquito Project in the Town of Fremont.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to provide Animal Shelter Facilities as required by Chapter 580 enacted by the 1977 General Court.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for use by the Town Road Agent to seal Town roads.
12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be used by the Selectmen to make revisions, as required, to the Fremont Tax Map.
13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,300.00 for one Frink Snow Plow.
14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 as its share of a project to provide the Police Department with one (1) Portable Moving Radar Unit. Matching Funds for this project to be applied for from the State of New Hampshire Highway Safety Agency.
15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, by Quit-claim deed, to Walter S. Cook a portion of the Town Dump Area, containing approximately 50,000 square feet of area, abutting his property at a cost of \$4,000.00. The parcel to be deeded is described as follows: Beginning at a point on Danville Road - Route 111a at the Northeasterly corner of the land of Walter E. Cook (Lot 2-43 on Town Tax Map) thence running south 400 feet along Danville Road to a point thence turning and running in a Westerly direction approximately 300 feet to the Southeastern corner of Lot 2-43 thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction 432 feet to the point of beginning.
16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deed at public auction.
17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Solid Waste Disposal Committee consisting of the Board of Selectmen, two (2) Planning Board Members and four (4) members at large selected from the Town to consider the proposals of the Rockingham County Solid Waste Committee and make recommendations of proposed action to be taken.
19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from Federal, State and County Governments, including but not limited to programs such as Manpower, CETA, etc. in such sum or sums as may become available.
20. To see what action the Town will take by ballot on the following question: Are you in favor of the following amendments to the existing sections of the Town Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Fremont Planning Board?

ARTICLE III - Section 6 (New) Recreational Camping Areas.

I. Recreational Camping Areas are permitted in the Town of Fremont provided that they first must receive the approval of the Fremont Planning Board. Such approval to be considered by the Board after a public hearing held in accordance with the Board's usual procedures.

II. The Planning Board shall consider all aspects of the recreational camping area proposed and its effect on the surrounding area and the Town in general. The Planning Board shall consider the following, which are minimum requirements for a recreational camping area:

- A. New Hampshire Water pollution and Control Regulations must be fully complied with.
- B. The minimum area size of a recreational camping area shall be at least twenty-five (25) contiguous acres.
- C. Campsites
 1. No Camping area shall have more than two hundred (200) individual sites.
 2. No grouping of individual sites shall be greater in number than fifty (50) and such groupings shall be at least four hundred (400) feet apart.
 3. Each site shall contain at least 3,500 square feet and shall have at least fifty (50) feet of frontage on an access road, whether public or private.
 4. No more than six (6) people per site shall be permitted.
- D. Setbacks
 1. No uses of any kind in a recreational camping area shall be located any closer than one hundred and fifty (150) feet of any property line.
 2. No uses of any recreational camping area shall be located any closer than one hundred and fifty (150) feet of the mean high water mark of any body of water.
- E. Roadways
 1. Major access roads shall at least meet the minimum standards set by the Town of Fremont.
 2. Private access roads shall be at least twenty-two (22) feet in width.
 3. All roads, major or private, must meet emergency vehicle use standards set by the Town of Fremont and the Fremont Fire Department.
- F. Recreational Facilities

Each recreational camping area shall maintain adequate recreational facilities relating to the same size and type of camping area and the number of sites proposed and shall be in accordance with generally accepted standards regarding such facilities.
- G. A recreational camping area shall open no earlier than April 1st and must close no later than December 1st in any calendar year. There shall be a fine of \$10.00 per day per site for any trailer or other vehicle and or structure which remains on any site beyond such time limit and such fine shall be collectible from the property owner or owners of the camping area.

III. The Planning Board shall also have the further authority to review the approval of any existing recreational camping area when it believes that any substantial change in original intent or theme may have taken place since such approval. In doing so, the Planning Board shall review the representations, plans, documents and related materials as represented by the original application for approval.

21. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

NOTE: In accordance with RSA 39:2A adopted at the March Town Meeting of 1972 the first session of the Town Meeting for the consideration of the ballot articles will open on March 14, 1978 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and will remain open until 7:00 o'clock in the evening. The second session for the consideration of the remainder of the Warrant Articles will be held at the Fremont Town Hall on Wednesday March 15, 1978 at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

Given under our hands and seal this 20th day of February in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Eight.

Robert A. Waddell

Charles M. Healey

George H. Baker, Jr.

Selectmen of the Town of Fremont

A True Copy of Warrant Attest:

Robert A. Waddell

Charles M. Healey

George H. Baker, Jr.

Selectmen of the Town of Fremont

Budget of the Town of Fremont

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Exp. Previous Fiscal Year	Recommended Fiscal Year 1978
Genral Government			
Town Officers' Salaries	6,600.00	6,681.90	6,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00	1,675.63	1,675.00
Election and Registration Exp. . .	400.00	397.05	900.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings .	4,550.00	5,544.59	5,400.00
Town Report	1,500.00	1,487.50	1,300.00
Conservation Commission	225.00	157.32	225.00
Protection of Persons and Property			
Police Department	5,000.00	5,909.93	5,000.00
Fire Department	8,875.00	12,032.14	12,855.00
Care of Trees	300.00	0.00	300.00
Insurance	3,100.00	3,748.00	4,050.00
Planning and Zoning including			
Board of Adjustment	200.00	143.14	200.00
Damages and Legal Expense . . .	750.00	336.50	750.00
Civil Defense	50.00	34.95	50.00
Health Department			
(Incl. Hospitals and Ambulance)	300.00	300.00	400.00
Vital Statistics	50.00	30.50	50.00
Dog Officer and Expenses.	200.00	220.10	250.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	4,100.00	1,838.77	6,500.00
Highways and Bridges			
Town Maintenance — Summer. .	4,500	5,189.90	5,800.00
Winter . .	10,500.00	9,142.00	10,300.00
Street Lighting	1,600.00	1,469.47	2,100.00
General Exp. of Highway Dept. . .	5,350.00	6,374.17	5,500.00
Town Road Aid	350.54	350.54	344.17
Libraries	1,725.00	1,697.83	1,860.00
Public Welfare			
Town Poor	3,000.00	1,558.45	3,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,500.00	4,694.02	6,000.00
Visiting Nurse	1,260.00	1,129.00	1,380.00
Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day, etc.)	250.00	295.70	250.00
Recreation — Little League Field	250.00	0.00	250.00
Public Service Enterprises			
Exeter Children and Youth	130.00	130.00	100.00
Cemeteries	900.00	885.59	900.00
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	250.00	250.00	250.00
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	350.00	417.12	425.00
Debt Service			
Interest on Temporary Loans . .	650.00	787.17	700.00
Capital Outlay:			
Ray-Fre Senior Citizens (Rev. Sharing)	350.00	350.00	200.00

Fire Dept. Monitors - Matching Fund	875.00	875.00	
Snow Plow Wing	850.00	820.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve			
Fund - Class A Pumper.....	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Newmarket Health Center (Rev. Sharing)			300.00
Mosquito Control Materials (Rev. Sharing)			500.00
Dog Pound Facilities (Rev. Sharing)			500.00
Tax Map Corrections (Rev. Sharing)			500.00
Sealing Town Roads			5,000.00
Portable Moving Radar			
(Matching Funds)			700.00
Frink Snow Plow			
(Rev. Sharing)			2,300.00
Total Appropriations	84,340.54	86,953.98	105,664.17

Sources of Revenue

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Est. Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1978
From State			
Interest and Dividends Tax.....	2,500.00	3,577.27	3,000.00
Railroad Tax	0.00	16.96	0.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,400.00	1,850.42	1,750.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	7,000.00	8,656.36	8,500.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV and V).	6,751.70	6,751.70	10,581.20
Reim. a/c Business Profits Tax..	2,316.00	12,932.96	2,432.00
Reim. a/c Forest Fires	50.00	116.40	50.00
From Local Sources			
Dog Licenses	450.00	422.50	425.00
Business Licenses, Permits and			
Filing Fees	650.00	681.00	650.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	16,000.00	21,601.00	20,000.00
Interest on Taxes and Deposits ..	3,000.00	4,033.32	3,500.00
Fines and Forfeits - Municipal			
and District Court	0.00	76.00	0.00
Resident Taxes Retained	6,000.00	7,590.00	7,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	500.00	961.44	750.00
Rent of Town Property	100.00	1,147.00	1,000.00
Sale of Town Property	0.00	45.00	0.00
Income from Departments	100.00	989.33	250.00
From Federal Sources			
Revenue Sharing	6,520.00	6,368.00	9,200.00
Total Revenue from all Sources			
Except Property Taxes	53,337.70	77,816.65	69,088.20
Amount to be Raised by			
Property Taxes	31,002.84		36,575.97
Total Revenues	84,340.54		105,664.17

Report of the Selectmen

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land — Improved and Unimproved	1,773,744.00
Buildings	6,047,439.00
Factory Buildings	210,785.00
Public Utilities	232,116.00
Trailers, Mobile Homes and Trailers assessed	
as Personal Property	22,580.00
Boats and Launches	200.00
Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed.	8,286,864.00
Total Exemptions Allowed	115,400.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed	8,171,464.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Net Town Appropriations	29,980.00
Net School Appropriations	370,252.00
County Tax Assessment	16,887.00
TOTAL TOWN, SCHOOL AND COUNTY	417,119.00
<i>Deduct</i> - Reimbursement a/c Business Profits Tax	12,934.00
<i>Add</i> - War Service Tax Credit	7,800.00
<i>Add</i> - Overlay	3,943.00
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	415,928.00
TAX RATE: $415,928.00 \div 8,171,464.00 = \$50.90$ per \$1000 Valuation	
School — \$44.10	Town — \$4.80
	County — \$2.00

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal year ending December 31, 1977

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriation	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Unexpended Expenditures	Balance	Overdrafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,600.00	\$	\$ 6,600.00	\$ 6,681.90	\$	\$ 81.90
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,675.63		175.63
Election and Registration	400.00		400.00	397.05	2.95	
Expense, Town Hall and Other Buildings.	4,550.00		4,550.00	5,544.59		994.59
Town Report	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,487.50	12.50	
Conservation Commission	225.00		225.00	157.32	67.68	
Police Department	5,000.00	899.00	5,899.00	5,909.93		10.93
Fire Department	9,750.00	1,978.40	11,728.40	12,032.14		303.74
Moth Control	300.00		300.00	0.00	300.00	
Insurance	3,100.00		3,100.00	3,748.00		648.00
Planning and Zoning (INCL. Bd. of Adj.).	200.00	90.00	290.00	143.14	146.86	
Damages and Legal Expenses	750.00		750.00	336.50	413.50	
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00	34.95	15.05	
Ambulance	300.00		300.00	300.00		
Vital Statistics	50.00		50.00	30.50	19.50	
Dog Officer and Expenses	200.00		200.00	220.10		20.10
Town Dump	4,100.00		4,100.00	1,838.77	2,261.23	
Highway Maintenance — Summer	4,500.00		4,500.00	5,189.90		689.90
Winter	10,500.00		10,500.00	9,142.00	1,358.00	
Street Lighting	1,600.00		1,600.00	1,469.47	130.53	
General Expense Highway	6,200.00	280.00	6,480.00	7,194.17		714.17
Town Road Aid	350.54		350.54	350.54		

Libraries	1,725.00	1,725.00	1,697.83	27.17	
Town Poor	3,000.00	3,000.00	1,558.45	1,441.55	
Old Age Assistance	3,500.00	3,500.00	4,694.02		1,194.02
Visiting Nurse	1,260.00	1,260.00	1,129.00	131.00	
Memorial Day	250.00	250.00	295.70		45.70
Recreation — Little League	250.00	250.00	0.00	250.00	
Exeter Children and Youth Group	130.00	130.00	130.00		
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	250.00	250.00	250.00		
Cemeteries	900.00	900.00	885.59	14.41	
Advertising and Regional Associations	350.00	350.00	417.12		67.12
Interest on Temporary Loans	650.00	650.00	787.17		137.17
Capital Reserve Fund - Class A Pumper...	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00		
Ray-Fre Senior Citizens	350.00	350.00	350.00		
TOTALS	\$ 84,340.54	\$ 87,587.94	\$ 86,078.98	\$ 6,591.93	\$ 5,082.97
				<u>5,082.97</u>	
NET UNEXPENDED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATIONS.....				\$ 1,508.96	

Balance Sheet

Assets

CASH

In Hands of Treasurer January 1, 1977	208,499.41
In Hands of Officials	0.00
TOTAL	208,499.41

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Waste Disposal Fund	14,197.05
Class A Pumper Fire Truck	12,144.73
TOTAL	26,341.78

UNREDEEMED TAXES

Levy of 1976	7,748.39
Levy of 1975	1,953.60
TOTAL	9,701.99

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

Levy of 1977, Including Resident, Yield and Personal Property Taxes	40,681.07
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TOTAL ASSETS 285,224.25

Liabilities

ACCOUNTS OWED BY TOWN

Unexpended Balance - Lillian Frost Bequest	34.00
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	12,687.49
Balance 1977-78 School District Appropriation.	218,752.00
TOTAL ACCOUNTS OWED BY TOWN	231,473.49

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Waste Disposal	14,197.05
Class A Pumper Fire Truck	12,144.73
Conservation Commission Fund	801.25
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS	27,143.03

TOTAL LIABILITIES 258,616.52

Current Surplus December 31, 1977	26,607.73
Surplus December 31, 1976	3,161.92
Increase in Surplus	23,445.81

Schedule of Town Property

As of December 31, 1977; June 30, 1978

1.	Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	50,000.00
	Furniture and Equipment	4,000.00
2.	Libraries, Lands and Buildings	6,000.00
	Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
3.	Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
	Equipment	2,500.00
	Parking Meters	
4.	Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	30,000.00
	Equipment	39,750.00
5.	Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	3,500.00
	Equipment	3,300.00
	Material and Supplies	1,000.00
6.	Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	3,000.00
7.	Water Supply Facilities, if owned by Town . . .	
8.	Electric Light Plant, if owned by Town	
9.	Sewer Plant and Facilities, if owned by Town . .	
10.	Schools, Lands and Facilities	750,000.00
	Equipment	40,000.00
11.	Airports, if owned by Town	
12.	All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds (Give Assessed valuation of property so taken listing each piece separately).	
	Pettengill Land	3,000.00
	Hastings Land	3,400.00
	Kelly Land	1,500.00
13.	All other property and equipment: (give description)	
	Old Meeting House	10,000.00
	First Aid Station Building	1,500.00
	Town Dump	5,000.00
	TOTAL	959,450.00

Revenue Sharing Fund

STATEMENT OF REVENUE SHARING EXPENDITURES, ENCUMBERANCES AND FUND BALANCE

Available Funds - January 1, 1977 \$ 6,138.01

Add Revenue:

Entitlement Payments	6368.00	
Interest	531.48	6,899.48
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS		\$13,037.49

Less Expenditures:

Social Services for Aged and Poor - \$350.00	
TOTAL OPERATING/MAINTENANCE	
EXPENSES	350.00

Capital Expenditures 0.00

Less Encumbrances (Appropriations Authorized

December 31, 1977) 0.00

Available Unobligated Funds -

December 31, 1977 \$12,687.49

Town Clerk's Report

Auto Permits	\$ 21,601.00
Dog Licenses and Fines	533.10
Filing Fees	14.00
	<u>\$ 22,148.10</u>

Less Dog Fees	<u>39.60</u>
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Remitted to Treasurer	\$ 22,108.50
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Vital Statistics

15 Births

15 Marriages

22 Deaths

I hereby certify that the above is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Elizabeth J. Stanley
Town Clerk, Fremont, N. H.

Minutes of the Town Meeting, March 8, 1977

The first session of the legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Fremont in the County of Rockingham in the said State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, met at the Town Hall in said Fremont on Tuesday, the 8th day of March 1977 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to transact the following business.

Moderator Stuart Langton called the Polls open at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and proceeded to have the Town Warrant read by the Assistant Moderator John T. Kalinowski.

Mr. George Baker, Moderator for the Fremont School District then proceeded to read the School Warrant.

Mr. Robert Louis, School Board Member, then made a motion that the polls of the Fremont School District open and close at the same time as the polls of the Town of Fremont, March 8, 1977, as noted in the Revised Statutes Annotated relating to Public Schools, RSA 197-1a. Motion seconded and passed by a voice vote.

The polls closed at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, ballots counted and the results read as follows:

Town Clerk	Elizabeth J. Stanley	* 397 Votes
Deputy Town Clerk	Mary A. Anderson	* 361 Votes
Selectman for Three Years. ..	George H. Baker, Jr.	* 263 Votes
	Arthur H. Courteau	52 Votes
	Peter R. Lamb	61 Votes
	Stephen J. Swiezynski, Jr. .	17 Votes
Treasurer	Ruth Doucette	* 366 Votes
Tax Collector	Mary A. Anderson	* 222 Votes
	Dorothy B. Gaudet	57 Votes
	George H. Johnson	138 Votes
Road Agent	Leon F. Holmes	* 379 Votes
Auditor	Herman Ostendorf	* 357 Votes
Chief of Police	John K. Bolduc	132 Votes
	Fred L. O'Brien	* 287 Votes
Trustee of Trust Funds		
for Three Years	Philip A. Davis, Jr.	* 351 Votes
Trustee of Library for		
Three Years	John T. Kalinowski	* 350 Votes
Number on Checklist	763 Unused Ballots	389
Votes Cast	427 Total Ballots Received for the	
Void Ballots	2 Town of Fremont	818

*Declared Elected.

The Fremont School District results were then announced as follows:

Moderator	George H. Baker, Jr.	* 376 Votes
Clerk	Barbara D. Baker	* 363 Votes
School Board for		
Three Years	Leonard L. Bonagura	95 Votes

	Mary A. Courteau	28 Votes
	Edward Millman	47 Votes
	Mary T. Stiner	* 143 Votes
Treasurer for one year	Elizabeth J. Stanley	* 394 Votes
Auditor for one year	Herman Ostendorf	* 377 Votes
Number on Checklist	763	Unused Ballots 394
Votes Cast	427	School District Ballots
Blank Ballots	1	Received 822

*Declared Elected.

Elected Officials present were sworn in at this time.

Not present were Ruth Doucette, Herman Ostendorf, and Philip A. Davis, Jr.

Elizabeth J. Stanley
Town Clerk, Fremont, N. H.

A True Copy, Attest:

Elizabeth J. Stanley

Town Clerk, Fremont, N. H.

Minutes of Town Meeting, March 9, 1977

The second session of the Town Meeting was called to order March 9, 1977 at 8:00 o'clock in the evening by the Moderator, Stuart Langton at the Fremont Town Hall.

Winners of the election held on March 8, 1977 were read for both the School District and the Town.

Article I — To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Voted on by ballot on March 8, 1977.

Article II — Mr. Robert Waddell moved that Article II and III be combined as one and be considered after Article IX. Seconded by George H. Baker.

Passed by voice vote.

Article IV — Upon petition of ten (10) or more legal voters: to see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the support of the Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center.

Mr. Robert Waddell moved that Article 4 be considered after Article VI. Mr. George Baker seconded the motion. *Passed by voice vote*

Article V — Upon petition of ten (10) or more legal voters: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$130.00 for the support of the Exeter Children and Youth Project.

Mr. Robert Waddell moved that this article be accepted as read. Mr. Charles M. Healey seconded it. Discussion followed.

Passed by voice vote.

Article VI — To see if the Town will vote to allocate, appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund, established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, for the use as a set off against budget appropriations in the amounts indicated; and, further to authorize the Selectmen to make pro rata reductions in these amounts if estimated entitlements are reduced or take any other action hereon.

<i>Appropriations</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1. Fremont School District - 1972 Bond Issue (Partial Payment of Principal)	\$8,000.00
2. Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center	350.00

Mr. George H. Baker made the motion that this article be accepted as read. Elizabeth J. Stanley seconded the motion. Discussion followed.

Passed by voice vote.

Article IV — Upon petition of ten (10) or more legal voters: to see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the support of the Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center.

Mr. Charles Healey made the motion that this article be postponed indefinitely. Mr. Robert Waddell seconded the motion.

Passed by voice vote.

Article VII — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$850.00 for the purchase of a Snow Plow Wing for use by the Road Agent.

Mrs. Ann Davis made the motion to accept the article as read. Jesse Bolduc seconded the motion.

passed by voice vote.

Article VIII — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to be deposited in the Class A Pumper Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund established in 1976.

Ann Davis made the motion to accept this article as read. Robert Waddell seconded the motion. Discussion

Passed by voice vote.

Article IX — To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$875.00 as its share of a project to provide ten (10) additional Radio Monitors for use by the Fremont Fire Department. Matching funds for these monitors will be provided by the Fremont Fireman's Association.

Robert Waddell made the motion to accept the article as read. Elizabeth Stanley seconded the motion. Discussion followed.

Passed by voice vote.

Articles II and III — To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

To hear the report of the Budget Committee and take such action as the Town deems necessary.

Mr. George Baker moved that the report of the Budget Committee be accepted as printed and to raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. Seconded by Robert Waddell.

Passed by voice vote.

Article X — To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest to the Town of Fremont given in the will of Lillian E. Frost in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be used by it to provide equipment or maintenance for the Fremont Fire Department and to authorize the Selectmen to administer these funds for the benefit of the Fremont Fire Department.

Merton Healey made the motion to accept the article as read.

George Baker seconded the motion. Discussion.

Passed by voice vote.

Article XI — To see if the Town will vote to grant to Stephen R. and Michelle Smith a right and easement to travel by foot or by vehicle from Main Street over the Town Hall property in the area of the driveway and parking lot to obtain entrance to their existing garage; subject to the right of the Town to temporarily block said easement area from time to time with cars parked there and to authorize the Selectmen to execute such a right and easement on behalf of the Town.

George Baker made the motion to accept the article as read. Robert Waddell seconded the motion. Discussion.

Leonard Bonagura made the motion to strike the word car and insert Motor Vehicle. . . Article to read . . . said easement area from time to time with motor vehicles parked there and to authorize the Selectmen . . . Glen Peterson seconded the amendment. *Passed by voice vote.*

Original article with Amendment — To see if the Town will vote to grant to Stephen R. and Michelle Smith a right and easement to travel by foot or by vehicle from Main Street over the Town Hall property in the are af the driveway and parking lot to obtain entrance to their existing garage; subject to the right of the Town to temporarily block said easement area from time to time with motor vehicles parked there and to authorize the Selectmen to execute such a right and easement on behalf of the Town. *Passed by voice vote.*

Article XII — To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deed at public auction.

Mr. Robert A. Waddell made the motion to accept the article as read. Merton Healey seconded the motion. Discussion.

Passed by voice vote.

Article XIII — To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

George Baker made the motion to accept the article as read. Elizabeth J. Stanley seconded the motion. *Passed by voice vote.*

Article XIV — To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from Federal, State and County Governments in connection with future Manpower Jobs Programs for the economically disadvantaged in such sum or sums as may become available.

Charles Healey made the motion to accept the article as read. Elizabeth Stanley seconded the motion.

Explanation of the article was given by the Selectmen.

Passed by voice vote.

Article XV — To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Theron Young made the motion to adjourn. Motion seconded.

Meeting adjourned at 8:53 P.M.

A True Copy, Attest:

Elizabeth J. Stanley,

Town Clerk, Fremont, N. H.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth J. Stanley

Town Clerk, Fremont, N. H.

Tax Collector's Report

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS Property, Resident and Yield Taxes Levy of 1977

— Dr. —

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$ 408,496.90
Resident Taxes	7,460.00

Total Warrants	\$ 415,956.90
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Yield Taxes	1,273.11
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Over payments during year:

a/c Payments before sale	25.40
a/c Property taxes	430.48
a/c Resident Taxes	11.13

Total Overpayments	467.01
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Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes.....	28.32
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Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	22.00
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Total Debits	\$ 417,747.34
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— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Overpayments	467.01
Property Taxes	366,401.89
Resident Taxes	6,750.00
Yield Taxes	961.44
Interest Collected	28.32
Penalties on Resident Taxes	22.00

\$ 374,630.66

Abatements Made During Year

Property Taxes	1,911.34
Resident Taxes	260.00
Yield Taxes	264.27

2,435.61

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1977:

As per Collector's List

Property Taxes	\$ 40,183.67
Resident Taxes	450.00
Yield Taxes	47.40

40,681.07

Total Credits	\$ 417,747.34
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Levy of 1976

— Dr. —

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1977:

Property Taxes	\$ 118.44
Resident Taxes	1,030.00
	<u>\$ 1,148.44</u>
Added Taxes:	
Resident Taxes	20.00
Overpayments:	
a/c Redemptions	49.79
a/c Resident Taxes	1.10
	<u>50.89</u>
Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes: . . .	.50
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	85.00
Total Debits	<u>\$ 1,304.83</u>

— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977:

Overpayments	\$ 50.89
Property Taxes	42.30
Resident Taxes	840.00
Yield Taxes	.00
Interest Collected During Year	.50
Penalties on Resident Taxes	85.00
	<u>\$ 1,018.69</u>
Abatements Made During Year:	
Property Taxes	\$ 76.14
Resident Taxes	210.00
	<u>\$ 286.14</u>
Total Credits	<u>\$ 1,304.83</u>

Levy of 1975

— Dr. —

Overpayments:

a/c Redemptions	\$ 5.27
Total Debits	<u>\$ 5.27</u>

— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977

a/c Redemption Overpayment	\$ 5.27
Total Credits	<u>\$ 5.27</u>

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977

— Dr. —

	--- Tax 1976	Sales on account of 1975	Levies of: 1974	--- of: Previous Yrs.
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes - January 1, 1977	23,052.98	8,803.10	925.83	0.00
(b) Taxes sold to Town during Current Fiscal Year	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Interest Collected after Sale. . .	630.41	1,175.32	243.29	0.00
Redemption Costs	113.60	39.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL DEBITS	23,796.99	10,017.42	1,169.12	0.00

— Cr. —

Remittances to Treasurer

During Year				
Redemptions	15,224.07	6,769.78	925.83	0.00
Interest and Costs after Sale. . .	744.01	1,214.32	243.29	0.00
Abatements During Year	80.52	79.72	0.00	0.00
Deeded to Town During Year. . . .	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unredeemed taxes - December 31, 1977	7,748.39	1,953.60	0.00	0.00
TOTAL CREDITS	23,796.99	10,017.42	1,169.12	0.00

Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1977

	Property	Personal Property	Resident Tax	Yield Tax
Adams Rodine	66.18			
Akeley, Albert			10.00	
Ackeley, Catherine			10.00	
Akeley, Philip			10.00	
Akeley, Wayne			10.00	
Angelini, William amd Marie J.	358.10			
Austin, Meredith C. and Sharon L.	965.83			
Belanger, Daniel T.	447.95			
Bishop, H. E. heirs	7.02			
Blackwell, Lester F.	152.80			
Blueberry Hill Associates	1161.55			
Bochicchio, William and Claire	478.99			
Boisvert, Anna	186.05			
Bolduc, Leo and Betty	415.99			

Bonis, Bonnie		10.00	
Boston and Maine Corp.	254.90		
Brusso, Elsie		10.00	
Brusso, Jeanne		10.00	
Burke, Henry J. and Isabella T.	84.15		
Butterfield, George and Joan	50.14		
Carrigan, George and Wendy	420.24		
Chase Peter A. and Frances B.	851.56		
Chirayath, Ashok		10.00	
Chirayath, John and Geraldine	221.69		
Chirayath, John		10.00	
Chirayath, Geraldine		10.00	
Collins, Arlo and Janet	995.38		
Clay, Irene	379.39		
Collins, Cathy		10.00	
Copp, Alice and William Heirs	391.68		
Copp, William		10.00	
Copp, Catherine		10.00	
Courteau, Arthur and Mary	523.59		
Currier, John B.	269.21		
Daley, William H., Jr.		25.45	
Demarco, Dorothy		10.00	
Demos, Charles	884.64		
Desilets, Lorraine		10.00	
Desrochers, William J.	851.30		
Dixon, Ronald		92.13	
Downing, John and Lorraine	1098.05		
Downing, John			47.40
Downing, John		10.00	
Downing, Lorraine		10.00	
Downing, William and Beth	619.25		
Earel, Harley H. and Fredrick	95.69		
Edgerly, Eleanor	456.98	10.00	
Emery, Leslie and Eleanor	484.57	10.00	
Fernald, Richard	63.22		
Fitiles, Stephen J.	231.70		
Ford, John R., Jr. and Jari L.	794.55		
Forrest, Everett	108.26	10.00	
Forti, Santo	440.29		
Fortier, Evelyn	384.30		
Fortier, Joseph and Joanne	453.16		
Fortier, Sidney		10.00	
Frost, Wayne G. and Irene C.	1244.66		
Fullar, Donald and Theresa	616.91		
Gilmore, George L. and Cheryl M.	531.79		
Gregory, Frank S., III and Carole M.	1120.16		
Guanga, Joan		10.00	
Halstead, Russell and Thelma	33.08		
Hartford, Joan		25.45	
Hartford, Reginald	455.55		
Hawes, William		25.45	
Hodson, Lee H. and Carol A.	76.35		
Hunt Daniel		40.72	
Irving, Richard	1180.76		

Jacova, John	1569.50	
Johnson, Diane		10.00
Jones, Walter and Mildred	61.08	
Keller, Ralph M. and Eileen	687.80	
Kelley, Floyd M. and Patricia	281.32	
Kiersey, Donald K. and Raymonde L.	557.86	
Kimball, Pauline	442.75	
Knott, John		10.00
Knott, John, Mrs.		10.00
LeBlanc, William and Eleanor	61.08	
Lee, Robert E. and Helen Z.	560.49	20.00
Lewis Builders, Inc.	285.04	
Larson, Robert C. and Marilyn	903.73	
McCullough, Gordon and Eleanor J.	860.09	
McCullough, Carol		10.00
McCullough, Susan		10.00
McDonald, Edward		53.45
McKay, Daniel and Sandra	1228.88	
Martel, Alfred W. and Nancy J.	597.96	
Marsh, Robert, Jr.		10.00
Murphy, Douglas and Mary	903.73	
Nelson, John and Jeanne	695.29	
O'Connor, John		57.01
Paradise, George and Rose	135.44	
Peppard, Roland P. and Pearl M.	578.73	
Peppard, Roland P. and Pearl M.	150.16	
Peterson, Glen L. and Dorothy E.	73.29	
Picard, John		10.00
Pierce, Linda		25.45
Pineo, Douglas		10.00
Phillips, Paul T.		10.00
Poole, Paul W. and Lorraine J.	702.42	
Powers, Ruth		10.00
Racine, Emil J.	168.38	
Racine, Emil J.	50.34	
Ranfoss, Robert J. and Pamela E.	33.09	
Reynolds, Albert		10.00
Reynolds, Jean		10.00
Reynolds, Jesse and Mildred E.	380.27	
Ricci, David A. and Diana	227.05	
Rickett, Everett E., Sr. and Alice E.	1067.07	
Rollins, Eleanor		10.00
St. Laurent, David and Gloria	662.46	
Schou, John Heirs	16.39	
Sears, Ronald K. and Susan A.	1460.32	
Shannon, Frank W.	285.55	
Silver, Kevin H.	23.72	
Smith, Norton and Gwendolyn	512.82	
Stevens, Esther M.	104.75	
Thibeault, Joyce	274.86	
Tippo, Arthur	9.81	
Trembly, Jo-an		10.00
Turner, Bruce R. and Penny L.	772.41	
Turner, Bruce		10.00

Turner, Penny		10.00			
Turner, Dean		10.00			
Valley, Nettie	374.32				
Wallace, Fred		10.00			
Wallace, Edith		10.00			
Waters, Gene V. and Dorothy J.	1170.70				
Wason, Scott		10.00			
Woodward, Alan		10.00			
TOTAL	\$39,838.56	345.11	450.00	47.40	

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1977, on account of the tax levy of 1977, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Mary A. Anderson
Tax Collector

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sale

<i>Assessed to:</i>	<i>1976</i>	<i>1975</i>
Austin, Meredith and Sharom	816.99	
Carleton, Ethel N.	208.29	111.28
Currier, John B.	255.73	
Demos, Charles A.	43.84	
Downing, William and Beth	535.63	
Edgerly, Eleanor E.	401.95	
Emery, Leslie and Eleanor	436.05	
Forti, Santo	376.97	
Fortier, Evelyn	320.21	
Fortier, Joseph and Joanne	409.75	407.53
Gregory, Frank and Carole	946.21	969.28
Griffin, Thomas J.	10.61	
Jones, Walter and Mildred	59.47	58.76
Mahon, Thomas and Virginia	546.07	
Nelson, John and Jeanne	297.45	
ohlenbush, Peter and Linda	442.51	
Ohlenbush, Peter and Linda	128.72	
Ranfoss, Robert and Pamela	36.04	35.43
Rocky Hill Realty Co.	584.35	
Smith, Norton and Gwendolyn	437.70	
Valley, Nettie	453.85	371.32
	\$7,748.39	\$1,953.60

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1977, on account of the tax levy of 1975 and 1976, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Mary A. Anderson
Tax Collector

Report of the Treasurer

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand:

January 1, 1977	\$	160,549.93	
Received from all sources		555,701.92	
Savings Account Interest		129.73	
Revenue Sharing Account		12,687.49	
Conservation Commission Account.		801.25	
Total	\$		729,870.32

PAYMENTS

Payments made by Selectmen:	\$	521,370.91	
Received over payments:			
Checking Account		94,880.94	
Savings Account		100,129.73	
Revenue Sharing Account		12,687.49	
Conservation Commission Account.		801.25	
Total	\$		729,870.32

ASSETS

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1977:

Checking Account	\$	94,880.94	
Savings Account		100,129.73	
Revenue Sharing Account		12,687.49	
Conservation Commission Account .		801.25	
Capital Reserve Fund:			
Waste Disposal Fund		14,197.05	
Class "A" Pumper Fund		12,144.73	
Unredeemed Taxes (1976)		7,748.39	
Unredeemed Taxes (1975)		1,953.60	
Uncollected Taxes (Inc. Res. and Yield)		40,681.07	
Total Assets	\$		285,224.25

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by Town:

Unexpended Balance - Lillian Frost			
Bequest		34.00	
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Fund		12,687.49	
Due School District (1977-1978)....		218,752.00	
Capital Reserve Fund:			
Waste Disposal		14,197.05	
Class "A" Pumper		12,144.73	
Conservation Commission Fund		801.25	
Total Liabilities	\$		258,616.52
Current Surplus 12/31/77			26,607.73
Surplus 12/31/76			3,161.92
Increase in Surplus			23,445.81

Ruth M. Doucette
Treasurer

Detailed Statement of Receipts

CURRENT REVENUE

From Local Taxes

Property Taxes 1977	366,401.89
Resident Taxes 1977	6,750.00
Yield Taxes 1977	961.44
Property Taxes - Previous Years	42.30
Resident Taxes - Previous Years	840.00
Interest and Costs - Previous Years	2,230.44
Penalties on Resident Taxes	107.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	22,919.68
Total	400,252.75

From State

Highway Subsidy	6,751.70
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,577.27
Railroad Tax	16.96
Savings Bank Tax	1,850.42
Forest Fire Reimbursement	116.40
Meals and Rooms Tax	8,656.35
Reimbursement a/c Business Profits Tax	12,932.96
Land Damages - State Highway	100.00
Total	34,002.06

From Local Sources, except Taxes

Dog Licenses	422.50
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	681.00
Fines and Forfeits	76.00
Rent of Town Property	1,147.00
Interest Received on Savings Deposits	1,932.61
Income from Departments	989.33
Motor Vehicle Permits - 1977	21,601.00
Total	26,849.44

Receipts other than Current Revenues

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	85,000.00
Refunds	99.00
Bequest of Lillian Frost - To benefit Fire Department	1,000.00
Sale of Town Property - Cemetery Lots	45.00
Fremont Fireman's Assoc. - Matching Funds	896.00
Welfare Reimbursements	50.00
Tax Collector Tax Sale Advertising Reimbursement	20.40
Total	87,110.40

Grants from U. S. A.

Revenue Sharing	6,368.00
Withdrawal from Revenue Sharing Account	350.00
Governor's Commission on Crime and Delinquency	899.00
Total	7,617.00
TOTAL REVENUES	555,831.65
Cash on Hand January 1, 1977	160,549.93
GRAND TOTAL	716,381.58

Detailed Statement of Payments

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officer's Salaries

Robert A. Waddell, Chairman, Selectmen	800.00
Clerical	220.80
Charles M. Healey, Selectman Salary	600.00
Overseer of Poor	100.00
Supt. of Cemetery	50.00
George H. Baker, Jr., Selectman Salary	500.00
Willard R. Davis, Selectman Salary	100.00
William S. Butler, Tax Collector Salary	105.35
Mary A. Anderson, Tax Collector Salary	819.65
Resident Tax Fees	362.70
Fees for Tax Sale Deed Search	255.00
Elizabeth J. Stanley, Town Clerk Salary	150.00
M. V. Registration Fees	1,243.00
Selectmen's Bookkeeping	183.40
Selectmen's Search of Tax Titles	192.00
Ruth M. Doucette, Town Treasurer Salary	250.00
H. M. Ostendorf, Town Auditor Salary	250.00
Fee for additional Audit	75.00
Philip A. Davis, Chairman Trustee of Trust Funds	150.00
Kenneth Shute, Building Inspector, Salary	200.00
Health Officer	75.00
TOTAL	6,681.90

Town Officer's Expenses

Office Supplies	402.40
Postage	611.62
Handbooks and Manuals	114.50
Deeds of property and Microfilms	57.02
Reproductions	126.70
Rent Safe Deposit Box - Trustee of Trust Funds	12.00
Town Officers' Mileage	59.10
Town Officers' Meeting Expenses	47.40
Town Officers' Telephone Expense	5.59
Memorial Donations	30.00
1977, 1978 Dog Tags	45.46
Office Equipment Repair	76.84
Tax Sale Expenses	87.00
TOTAL	1,675.63

Election and Registration Expense

Supervisors of the Check List	139.80
Ballot Clerks	60.00
Town Clerk and Deputy Clerk	40.00
Moderator	20.00
Police	20.00
Selectmen	60.00
Misc. - Ballots and Supplies	57.25
TOTAL	397.05

Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings

Public Service Co. of New Hampshire - Electricity	388.10
Nichols Oil Co. - Heat Oil	1,069.54
New England Telephone Co. - Service	449.83
Marcotte Oil Co., - Gas	68.48
Custodian - Town Hall	261.05
Janitorial Supplies	6.77
Repair of Town Buildings	592.47
Replacement of Town Hall Roof	1,750.00
Painting Interior of Fire Station	605.00
Storm Windows(3) Town Hall	139.20
Snow Removal Town Hall	31.35
Mowing Grass - Town Buildings	71.30
Smith Fire Equipment Co. - Maintenance	111.50
TOTAL	5,554.59

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department

Fred. L. O'Brien, Chief - Police Duty	1,530.00
Gordon Copp - Police Duty	942.00
Guerwood Holmes - Police Duty	865.00
Wayne Robinson - Police Duty	970.00
Joan O'Brien - Police Duty	470.00
New England Telephone Co. - Service	84.95
Village Market - Film	17.75
Memorial Flowers	51.24
Postage	2.99
Motorola Communications and Electronics - Radio (1)	976.00
TOTAL Less (1)	4,933.93
TOTAL	5,909.93

(1) Matching Funds from Governors Commission of Crime and Delinquency

Town Share — 77.00
Federal Funds — 852.00
State Funds — 47.00
Total = 976.00

Fire Department, including Forest Fires

New England Telephone Co. - Red Phones	514.20	
Black Phones	159.84	674.04
Public Service Co. of N. H. - Electricity		474.16
Nichols Oil Company - Heating Oil		730.69
Fremont Motor Sales - Gasoline, Repairs and Material		2,766.23
Arthur W. Rollins - Backhoe Work		110.00
Firemen's Association Dues		169.00
Electronic Equipment Repair		186.04
Conway Associates - Supplies		1,258.50
Blanchard Associates - Supplies		761.35
A. C. Tire Co. - Tires		552.01
Metra Chemical Co. - Supplies		119.00
Middlesex Fire Equipment Co. - Supplies		106.08
R. E. Prescott, Inc. - Hose Couplings		10.88
State of New Hampshire - Back Pumps		152.94
Manchester Ladder Company - Ladder		44.55
Smith's Fire Equipment - Supplies		22.50
Raymond Drug Store - Oxygen		14.40

Lakes Region Mutual Aid - Training	64.00
Magazine Subscriptions and Manuals	46.00
Forest Fires - Labor	104.34
Forest Fire Wardens Meetings	132.62
Emblems and Badges	300.50
Misc. Supplies and Materials	270.31
American Fire Equipment Co. - Air Pack Bottles	225.00
(1) Wright Communications, Inc. - Monitor Radios (11)	1,771.00
(2) Wright Communications, Inc. - Monitor Radios (6)	966.00
TOTAL Less (1) and (2)	9,295.14
TOTAL	12,032.14
(1) <i>Town Share - Article 9 Town Warrant</i>	875.00
<i>Fremont Firemen's Association</i>	896.00
(2) <i>Bequest of Lillian Frost</i>	966.00
Moth Extermination	0.00
Planning and Zoning including Board of Adjustment	
Ed Hatch, Printer - Printing Subdivision Regulations	60.00
Batchelers Bookstore - Supplies	7.14
Postage - Planning Board	62.36
Postage - Board of Adjustment	13.64
TOTAL	143.14
Dog Officer Expenses	
Fred O'Brien - Dog Officer Duty	70.00
Gordon Copp - Dog Officer Duty	25.00
Guerwood Holmes - Dog Officer Duty	35.00
Wayne Robinson - Dog Officer Duty	30.00
Joan O'Brien - Dog Officer Duty	30.00
New Hampshire S. P. C. A. - Donations	15.00
Rockingham Feed and Supply - Supplies	1.89
Village Market - Supplies	13.21
TOTAL	220.10
Insurance	
Bartlett Insurance Agency - Package Policy	1,056.00
Officer's Bonds	318.00
Workman's Compensation	1,264.00
Fire Department - Liability, Fire, Theft	1,110.00
TOTAL	3,748.00
Civil Defense	
Pauls Radio and TV - C. D. Alert Monitor	34.95
Conservation Commission	
N. H. Assoc. of Conservation Comm. - 1976-77 Dues	75.00
State of New Hampshire - Conservation Trees and Shrubs	20.00
E. A. Schramm - Postage and Supplies	12.06
Joan Langton - Postage	13.00
N. H. Pulp Co. - Lumber for Bird House Project	37.26
TOTAL	157.32
HEALTH	
Visiting Nurse	
Exeter Visiting Nurse Association	1,129.00

Health Department

Raymond Ambulance Fund 300.00

Vital Statistics

Elizabeth J. Stanley - Fees 30.50

Town Dump and Garbage Removal

John Currier - Labor 900.00

Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor 60.00

Locks and Keys for Gate 20.27

Ed Hatch, Printer - Printing Dump Stickers 16.00

Fred LeClair - Equipment Hire 100.00

Leon Holmes - Equipment Hire 742.50

TOTAL 1,838.77

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Town Road Aid 350.54

Town Highway Maintenance - Summer

John Currier - Labor 103.50

Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor 416.50

Edward Smith - Labor 36.00

Leon Holmes, Sr. - Labor 60.00

Allen Copp - Labor 9.00

Robert Linehan - Labor 49.50

C. Mertopn Healey - Labor 553.00

Jim McKay - Labor 39.00

Kevin Holmes - Labor 261.00

David Menter - Labor 149.50

Leon Holmes, Sr. - Equipment Hire 2,283.00

Leon Holmes, Jr. - Equipment Hire 16.00

Kevin Holmes - Equipment Hire 16.00

C. M. Healey - Equipment Hire 31.00

Warren Transportation Co. - Equipment Hire 275.20

Dewey Bowley - Equipment Hire 135.00

Tamrack Tree Service - Equipment Hire 35.00

Fremont Motor Sales - Welding on Bridge 25.67

A. C. Warren - Grader Hire 430.00

John Cummings - Mowing 266.03

TOTAL 5,189.90

Town Highway Maintenance - Winter

Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor 696.00

Kevin Holmes - Labor 351.00

Robert Linehan - Labor 231.00

Jim McKay - Labor 60.00

Leon Holmes - Labor 3.00

Charles Bolduc - Labor 322.50

John Currier - Labor 234.00

Everett Forest - Labor 9.00

Keith Tripp - Labor 15.00

Dan McKay, Jr. - Labor 9.00

MYCA Forest Industries - Equipment Hire 540.50

Leon Holmes - Equipment Hire 5,358.00

Charles Bolduc - Equipment Hire 856.00

Gordon Copp - Equipment Hire 352.00

Charles K. Rowe - Equipment Hire 40.00

William G. Parker - Cleaning Culvert	33.00
Joseph Bolduc, Sr. - Equipment Hire	32.00
TOTAL	9,142.00
Street Lighting	
Public Service Co. of New Hampshire	1,469.47
General Expenses of Highway Department	
Granite State Minerals, Inc. - Road Salt	1,370.95
Merrimack Farmers Exchange - Plastic Sheet	22.95
Fremont Welding - Plow Repair	53.00
Fremont Motor Sales - Plow Repairs	931.84
Bruce and Carbies - Plow Repair	29.00
Allied Chemical Corp. - Cold Patch	163.09
Vining's Market - Supplies	26.94
R. C. Hazelton Co. - Paint, Plow Parts	1,216.02
State of New Hampshire - Road Signs	7.00
N. H. Bituminous, Inc. - Asphalt	1,126.39
Daniel W. McKay - Gravel	52.50
John Iofolla Co. - Tar Patch	1,057.54
Buxton Tractor and Implement - Mowing Supplies	64.43
N. H. Fence Co. - Supplies	11.76
John C. Tombarello and Sons - Steel	156.86
John F. Brown - Supplies	83.90
TOTAL	6,374.17
Library	
Public SERVICE Co. of N. H. - Electricity	59.33
Nichols Oil Co. - Fuel Oil	228.37
Helen P. Seavey - Librarian Salary	901.60
Barbara Bean - Substitute Librarian	18.40
Eastern Book Co. - Books	296.19
University Book Services - Books	26.69
Ann Davis - Books	35.42
Book of the Month Club - Books	18.23
World Book Encyclopedia - Books	9.60
General Book Covers - Supplies	35.30
American Library Association - Subscription	24.00
Portland Glass Co. - Repairs	8.55
John T. Kalinowski - Books	36.15
TOTAL	1,697.83
PUBLIC WELFARE	
Old Age Assistance	
State of New Hampshire	4,694.02
Town Poor	
Vining's Market - Food Supplies	34.28
Prescott Farm Food Stores - Food Supplies	26.97
William S. Butler - Abatement of Property Taxes	597.20
Exeter Youth Group Home, Inc. - Rm., Board, Counseling	520.00
Jesse Bolduc - Rent	270.00
Eli N. Marcotte - Heater Repair	110.00
TOTAL	1,558.45

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day

R. C. Holt and Sons - Flags	93.30
Bertram Seaver - Organ and P. A. System	40.00
Sanborn Regional High School Band - Music	50.00
Rev. Charles Banks - Minister	35.00
Vining's Market - Supplies	77.40
TOTAL	295.70

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries, including hearse hire

Public Service Co. of N. H. - Electricity	36.00
Francis Vetter - Edge Trimmer	50.00
C. M. Healey - Labor	337.80
Brian Jalbert - Labor	16.10
Kevin Holmes - Labor	6.90
Daniel W. McKay, JR. — Labor	16.10
Leon Holmes, Jr. - Labor	19.50
Trustworthy Store - Supplies	15.19
Leon Holmes - Equipment Hire	388.00
TOTAL	885.59

Town Reports

Ed Hatch, Printer - Printing Town Report , Supplies	1,462.50
Fremont Cub Scout Pack No. 1 - Delivery of T.R.	25.00
TOTAL	1,487.50

Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	250.00
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Exeter Children and Youth Project	130.00
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Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center	350.00
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UNCLASSIFIED

Damages and Legal Expenses

Perkins, Holland, Donovan and Beckett - Legal	336.50
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Advertising and Regional Associations

New England Assoc. of City and Town Clerks - Dues	10.00
N. H. City and Town Clerks Assoc. - 1977-78 Dues	20.00
N. H. Tax Collector's Assoc. - Dues	10.00
N. H. Municipal Assoc. - Dues	200.00
Castle Publications - Advertising	9.00
Exeter News Letter Co. - Board of Adj. Notices	20.00
Rockingham County Newspapers - Advertising	
Revenue Sharing	27.00
Planning Board Hearings	84.25
Board of Adjustment Hearings	16.62
Selectmen - Traffic Ordinance	20.25

TOTAL	417.12
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Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	998.31
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Payment to Trustees of Trust Funds	10,000.00
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Payment to Conservation Fund Account	67.68
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Payment to Revenue Sharing Account	6,368.00
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DEBT SERVICE

Interest Paid on Tax Anticipation Notes	787.17
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Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	85,000.00
TOTAL	85,787.17
Capital Outlay	
Tax Map	2,635.02
Snow Plow Wing - Article 7, Town Warrant	820.00
TOTAL	3,455.02
Payments to other Governmental Divisions	
State of New Hampshire - 2% Bond and Debt Tax	212.19
Boats	3.00
	215.19
Taxes Paid to Rockingham County	16,887.30
Payments to School District	
(1976-77) - 171,620.43	
(1977-78) - 151,500.00	
	323,120.43
TOTAL	340,222.92
TOTAL PAYMENTS — ALL PURPOSES	521,370.91
Cash on Hand December 31, 1977	195,010.67
GRAND TOTAL	716,381.58

Selectmen's Report

Take a moment to think about this. How much do you know about the government of your Town? Did you know there are 22 departments in our Town? That there are 74 people working for you, the majority of whom are voluntary, unpaid, interested citizens? This does not include the large number of volunteer Firemen.

Did you know our total combined School District and Town Budget is fast approaching one-half million dollars? And that our Town has a population of just slightly over 1200 souls?

Each year we are deluged with new laws and regulations from both the State and Federal Governments. In the long run this costs us money and requires much paper work and constant vigilance lest we lose out on funds available to help us relieve some of the tax burden we share--which is already too heavy.

To the many citizens who volunteer their time and efforts freely to our Town, we owe a debt of gratitude and support. Through their efforts we were able to keep pace in a changing world in the areas of orderly growth, orderly environmental impact, and quality education within our means.

Now more than ever before in the history of our Town, we must all band together and renew our interest in the affairs of our Town by attending all the various departmental meetings and hearings open to us, by asking questions and getting answers, and by seeing that the affairs of our Town are conducted professionally, honestly, and openly. By doing this, we will fare well and prosper.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert A. Waddell
Charles M. Healey
George H. Baker, Jr.
Selectmen

Report of the Road Agent

This past winter has been unusually severe on the roads with all the rain and frost we've had. This has caused the road surfaces to break up badly and require constant patching. I have asked for funds to start sealing the worst sections to stop further damage. I would be able to seal approximately three miles of road surface if these funds are made available.

I would like to make the Townspeople aware of the law that states a property owner is required to get approval of the Road Agent prior to constructing a driveway or road that exits onto any Town Road. This also includes the placing of any culvert or water flow control device upon any town road.

Several culverts will have to be replaced this year due to deterioration. I was able to clean out all the culverts in Town, some of which were completely plugged. The shoulders were graded to allow

better water drainage also.

I would appreciate it if the Townspeople would notify me of any dangerous conditions existing in their area. It will be promptly investigated.

I would like to take this time to thank the Townspeople for their courtesy and support and to thank all the people who have helped me on the roads over the past year.

Leon Holmes, Sr.
Road Agent

Report of the Fremont Fire Department

for the year ending December 31, 1977

To the Citizens of the Town of Fremont:

This year we have responded to 81 fire or public service calls, which is an increase of 41% over last year. This is due somewhat to the extensive use of wood burning devices for home heating. Much care has to be taken in the installation of these units. Distances to combustible walls and floors, connections into chimneys, and the conditions of the chimneys themselves are important considerations. There are pamphlets available at the fire station or from any member of the fire department, and there are also several contractors who are Department members who are available to advise you as to proper installation. Please don't be afraid to ask for help or information.

One other important item is the home smoke detector. There are many brands available, but remember to look for the UL217 label of approval.

It has come to my attention that several oil burner heating systems have been installed without first obtaining a permit. After the unit has been installed, it must be inspected. Upon passing inspection a permit to operate will be issued. Failure to obtain a permit could raise a question as to your fire insurance coverage. Check and make sure you have the permit posted by your heating system. There is a fee of \$5.00 for this inspection and permit.

This year the Fire Department had the opportunity to get a vehicle known as an Army Weapons Carrier, which is a $\frac{3}{4}$ ton, 4 wheel drive Tactical vehicle. This is now being readied for service as a brush fire truck. Firemen are conditioning this vehicle themselves, at no cost to the taxpayers. One fireman used his vacation to steam clean and paint it. Another fireman is now in the process of lettering it. While some members were working on the vehicle, other members have built an addition to the station to house the 1848 Hunneyman Hand Tub, so that we will now have room on the apparatus floor to house the new piece of equipment.

The talent that is available in our 32 volunteer firemen never ceases to amaze me. This group of men include radio men, carpenters,

masons, roofers, electricians, medical people, lumbermen, mechanics, welders, plumbers, painters, heavy equipment operators, heating specialists, and machinists. With their knowledge, and the equipment and materials they can supply, there isn't much our department can't accomplish.

The officers of the Fremont Fire Department are serving as a committee to investigate the necessary equipment and cost of a new Class A pumper which we should have in service by 1981, in order to maintain our present insurance rate. The 1961 GMC pumper (our newest truck) cost \$12,000.00 when purchased. The replacement will cost approximately \$70,000.00. This past year there were two increases, totaling 10%, on the quoted prices for the pump and the body, and a 7% increase on the commercial chassis, plus a pending 10% further increase on the pump.

Actually the new pumper will not replace the 1961 GMC, but will replace Engine 1. Engine 1 is a 1947 Ford, and I am having a hard time getting parts for it. Did you ever try getting a pancake distributor, or an exhaust pipe for a 1947 Ford Truck?

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the officers and men of the Fremont Fire Department for the tremendous job they have done in making this town a better and safer place in which to live.

FIRE CALLS IN 1977

January

9	D. Strole, Scribner Road	Chimney Fire
11	Ellis School, Main St.	Roof overload/leaking
15	D. Hayward, Danville Rd.	Chimney Fire
22	Old Post Office, Cellar Apartment	Medical Aid
24	Ellis School, Main Street	Alarm Malfunction
29	Raymond Fire Dept.	Standby
	Jesse Bolduc, Sandown Rd.	Chimney Fire

February

12	Langton Apartment, Main St.	LP gas leak
14	Jesse Bolduc, Beede Rd.	Chimney Fire
19	Auto accident, Main St.	Wash down gas
24	Assist State Police, Sandown Rd.	Generator and lights
26	Gordon Copp, Sandown Rd.	Chimney Fire

March

3	Douglas Melanson, Red Brook Rd.	Chimney fire
13	Colonial Rest Home, Main St.	Public assistance
14	Turner's Dam, Scribner Rd.	Sandbag road washout
	H. Castle, Main St.	Public assistance
	D. Murphy, Beede Rd.	Public assistance
23	J. Rice, Scribner Rd.	Chimney fire
	Vining's Market, Main St.	Public assistance
	I. Clay, Main St.	Public assistance
	J. Linahan, Sandown Rd.	Public assistance
	E. Bolduc, Sandown Rd.	Public assistance
	A. Philbrick, Main St.	Public assistance
	L. Benotti, Main St.	Public assistance
	D. Strole, Scribner Rd.	Public assistance
	R. Stiner, Scribner Rd.	Public assistance
24	C. Robie, Sandown Rd.	Public assistance
	J. Linahan, Sandown Rd.	Public assistance
	Spaulding and Frost Co., Main St.	Standby/sprinkler alarm off

27	J. Guanga, Scribner Rd.	Chimney fire
April		
3	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Grass fire
	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Woods fire
11	N. Stacy, Main St.	Burning, no permit
17	D. Murphy, Beede Rd.	Burning, no permit
22	J. Fortier, Rogers Rd.	Burning, no permit
	W. Bochicchio, Riverside Drive	Cottage fire (arson)
28	P. Kimball, Main St.	Chimney fire
29	R. Davis, Danville Rd.	Grass fire
	R. Porter, Riverside Dr.	Brush fire
	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Rubbish fire
May		
9	J. Fortier, Rogers Rd.	Shed fire
15	Unknown, Ridge St.	Brush fire
	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Brush fire
21	P. Alford, Riverside Dr.	Trailer fire
29	F. Gregory, Main St.	Burning, no permit
30	Exeter River, Riverside Dr.	Reported possible drowning
June		
8	J. Dillavou, South Rd.	Chimney fire
25	Mutual Aid, Raymond Fire Dept.	Station coverage
July		
3	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Smoke investigation
13	Ellis School, Main St.	Alarm malfunction
16	K. Rowe, Main St.	Medical aid
23	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Rubbish fire
24	R. Lewis, North Rd.	Brush fire
27	Unknown, Ridge Rd.	Car fire (arson)
28	Mutual Aid, Danville Fire Dept.	Island fire
29	E. Rickett, Main St.	Car fire
31	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Rubbish fire
August		
1	Ellis School, Main St.	Alarm malfunction
8	Ridge Rd.	Could not locate reported car fire
30	Unknown, South Rd.	Woods fire
31	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Brush piles (set)
September		
4	Spaulding and Frost Co., Main St.	Alarm malfunction
October		
1	L. Porter, Danville Rd.	Car fire
7	N. Bassett, Scribner Rd.	Chimney fire
17	J. Linahan, Sandown Rd.	Public assistance
22	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Rubbish fire
27	Unknown, Danville Rd.	Brush fire
	Fremont dump, Danville Rd.	Dump keeper's shack (set)
	Mutual Aid, Sandown Fire Dept.	Trailer fire
30	Intersection, Sandown and Chester Rd.	Tire fire (set)
31	Scribner Rd.	Tire fire (set)
	Main St.	Trash fire (set)
	Ridge Rd., Call from lookout	Smoke investigation
November		
5	Beede Rd., Complaint of open well	Unfounded
28	J. Gardner, Sandown Rd.	Smoke investigation
December		
3	G. Baker, Sandown Rd.	Chimney fire
11	R. Lessard, Main St.	Car fire
17	F. Fahey, Main St.	Flooded oil burnewr
28	C. Rowe, Rowe Dr.	Chimney Fire
	M. Brusso, Sandown Rd.	Oil burner problem
29	W. Copp, Main St.	Chimney fire

Report of the District Fire Chief and Town Forest Fire Warden

Forest fire control in New Hampshire is a joint state and town/city responsibility (RSA 224).

The Director, Division of Forests and Lands (State Forester) appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town/city upon the recommendation of local authorities.

The local forest fire warden is responsible for forest fire prevention and suppression activities in his town. He regulates the kindling of outside fires when the ground is not covered with snow by the issuance of written permits only when conditions are safe. He is responsible for suppression with the town/city and state sharing the cost. Suppression costs in excess of ¼ of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town are assumed by the state.

The state provides training for the local fire organization and helps coordinate activities between towns/cities. The state also supports local forces with backup personnel, equipment and supplies for suppression and prevention.

This combination of state and local cooperation, started in 1893, works well, for New Hampshire has enjoyed one of the smallest acreage losses due to forest fires in the United States for the past 25 years.

1977 FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

	<i>No. of Fires</i>	<i>No. of Acres Burned</i>
State	1,091	2,386
District	217	94
Town	00	00

Dennis Thorell
District Fire Chief
Richard Heselon
Forest Fire Warden

Report of Fremont Police Department

Once again I would like to report the annual account of the Fremont Police Department for the year 1977. The following is a breakdown of the types of complaints and frequency encountered in 1977.

Automobile accidents	17	
Breaks	3	(2 arrested)
Assaults	5	(5 arrested)
Suspensions and Revocations	9	
Warrants and court convictions	18	
Stolen boats	2	
Stolen chain saws	2	(1 returned)
Suspicious vehicles	3	
Miscellaneous complaints	261	
Accidental death	1	

Family problems	6	
Dog complaints	27	
Dogs destroyed	9	
Runaways	2	
Possession of harmful drugs	2	
Bad checks	7	
Messages delivered	4	
Committed to state hospital	1	
Petty theft	1	(money recovered)

I would again like to thank the members of the Fremont Community Club for their generous donation of \$50.00 which was used to pay for a new 4 drawer file cabinet.

At this time we are negotiating the purchase of a moving radar unit which would be used mainly to curb speeders on Route 107, our main source of complaints.

I would again like to thank the officers of the department for their devotion and excellent performance done again this past year.

Respectfully submitted,
 Fred L. O'Brien
Chief of Police

Report of Building Inspector

During the year 1977 a total of 26 permits were issued covering new construction, alterations and repairs. The new homes, like the previous year, were for single family units. Does this give focus for the future style of the town?

A resolution passed by the Planning Board brings a change on new permits. Permit is valid for 30 days from date of approval. Construction must begin within this time.

Many thanks to the various boards and departments for the help given me.

K. Shute

Report of Town Auditor

I have examined the accounts of the following Town Officers: Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Selectmen and Trustees of the Trust Funds of the Town of Fremont, New Hampshire for the calendar year ending December 31, 1977.

I noted that abatements have been made by the Selectmen to the Fremont Development Corporation for the years 1975,1976 and 1977 for over \$1,000 in each year. To my knowledge, no formal request for these abatements have been made nor has good cause been shown as required by law.

Revenue Sharing funds in the amount of \$8,000 are shown as being appropriated but not paid out to cover school bond indebtedness. I have

been informed by the New Hampshire Revenue Administration that Revenue Sharing funds may not be used for educational purposes since the School Budget is separate and distinct from the Town's own budget.

Except for the items mentioned above, all vouchers were accounted for and all accounts were found complete.

Respectfully submitted,
Herman Ormsdorf
Town Auditor

Report of the Library Trustees

Operating expenses for the Fremont library for 1977 were: Librarian's Salary, \$920., Heating Oil, \$228.37, Electricity, \$59.33, Books purchased, \$481.58, Library Supplies, \$8.55.

The Trustees wish to acknowledge and thank the Fremont Community Club for their gift of a metal rack for paper-back books and for the donation of books in memory of members.

We also thank interested townspeople for the contributions of new or used books and money for books.

We were sorry to lose Ann Davis as a trustee and feel she deserves a hearty "thank you" for her past efforts in behalf of the Library. We are glad to welcome Orris Johnson as a new Trustee.

A special vote of thanks and appreciation to our Librarian, Helen Seavey, for her dedicated interest in making our town library an attractive, efficient and friendly place.

Library hours are: Tuesday, 4-8 p.m.; Thursday, 1-5 p.m.

Orris Johnson
Lucy Schramm
John Kalinowski
Library Trustees

Librarian's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand	\$	00.00
Fines		14.66
Discards and duplicates		36.45
Donations and Memorials		46.00
		97.11

EXPENDITURES

Books	32.15
Supplies	1.87

Postage	1.30
Plants	10.06
	45.38
Cash on Hand	\$ 51.73

BOOK CIRCULATION:

Adult Fiction	1787
Adult Non-Fiction	1274
Youth, Junior and Elementary	1744
Magazines, Patterns and Records	68
Borrowed from Bookmobile (3 visits)	729

Appreciation is extended to the Community Club for their gift of a paper-back book rack.

Helen P. Seavey
Librarian

Report of Fremont Conservation Commission

The Fremont Conservation Commission had a busy year in 1977. Richard Sheldon and Leonard Bonagura directed the Boy Scouts in a conservation project - making wood duck nesting houses. The workshop portion was completed in December and the houses will be set before spring in selected marshy areas of the town. Similarly a blue bird workshop is planned to help establish more bluebird nestings in the town.

Our annual wildlife tree and shrub program in March was again well attended. Orders for free shrubs were taken and the audience enjoyed two excellent color films depicting the life cycles of wild animals in the Northern forests.

Topsoil and lime were spread in the Pratt Memorial Park and two more arbor vitae trees were planted at the monument. The conservation commission has undertaken the Park improvement on a continuing basis and hopes to gradually improve the entire Park property.

Conservation Commission Budget	\$225.00
Expenditures	157.32
Conservation Commission Fund Balance	801.25

Elmer A. Schramm
Chairman

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Fremont for the year ending December 31, 1977

PRINCIPAL

INCOME

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
CEMETERY FUNDS										
Various	Various	Perpetual Care	Banks	13699.98		13699.98	3364.50	925.93	623.75	3666.68
1977	Elizabeth Scribner (Increase in old account)		Banks	0.00	300.00	300.00	(Income included in line above)			
1977	Lillian Frost	Gen. Gen. Care	Banks	0.00	1000.00	1000.00	0.00	39.95	0.00	39.95
1977	Lillian Frost	Gen. Perpet. Care	"	0.00	750.00	750.00	0.00	22.00	22.80	0.00
1977	Lawrence Pettingill	"	"	0.00	400.00	400.00	0.00	7.75	0.00	7.75
1977	Joseph Dion	"	"	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	1.07	0.00	1.07
1977	Clarence Philbrick	"	"	0.00	300.00	300.00	0.00	13.76	0.00	13.76
Totals Individual Accounts			National Securities	13699.98	2850.00	16549.98	3364.50	1011.26	646.55	3729.21
1968	Common Trust No. 1	"	Dividend Fund	6715.43	*49.20	6764.63	961.56	388.52	236.75	1113.33
CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS										
1969	Town of Fremont	Waste Disposal	Bank	10000.00		10000.00	3461.15	735.90	0.00	4197.05
1976	Town of Fremont	Fire Truck	"	2000.00	10000.00	12000.00	4.03	140.70	0.00	144.73
Totals Capital Reserves Funds				12000.00	10000.00	22000.00	3465.18	876.60	0.00	4341.78
SPECIAL TRUSTS										
1873	Sarah Chase	Univ. Preaching	Bank	1000.00	0.00	1000.00	18.39	55.77	74.16	0.00
1873	Sarah Chase	Worthy Poor	"	1396.71	0.00	1396.71	1231.60	143.53	110.00	1265.13
1920	Mary Higgins	Methodist Sup.	"	72.29	0.00	72.29	8.83	4.43	0.00	13.26
1917	Josiah Robinson	Methodist Sup.	"	77.84	0.00	77.84	13.75	5.02	0.00	18.77
1953	Common Trust No. 2	Methodist Sup.	Puritan Fund	17010.27	*508.94	17519.21	0.00	1101.19	1101.19	0.00
1977	Lillian H. Frost	Old Meeting Hs.	Bank	0.00	1000.00	1000.00	0.00	39.95	0.00	39.95
1977	Lillian H. Frost	Public Library	"	0.00	1000.00	1000.00	0.00	39.95	0.00	39.95
1977	Lillian H. Frost	Public Schools	"	0.00	5000.00	5000.00	0.00	199.79	0.00	199.79
Totals Special Funds				19557.11	7508.94	27066.05	1272.57	1589.63	1285.35	1576.85
GRAND TOTALS										
	*Capital Gains Dividends			51972.57	20408.14	72380.71	9063.71	3866.01	2168.65	10761.17

Annual Reports

of the

OFFICERS

of the

FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fremont, New Hampshire

**For the School Year ending
June 30, 1977**

Officers of the Fremont School District

1977-1978

SCHOOL BOARD

James H. O'Connell, Chairperson Term Expires 1978
Mary Stiner Term Expires 1980
Ann Davis Term Expires 1978

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Francis C. Wilson

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Ira A. Stickney

TREASURER

Elizabeth Stanley

MODERATOR

George H. Baker

CLERK

Barbara Baker

AUDITOR

Herman Ostendorf

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Walter Cook

SCHOOL NURSE

Phyllis Streeter, R.N.

School Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Fremont, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the fourteenth day of March, 1978 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects: (The polls will close at seven o'clock in the evening.)

1. To Choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for one year.
4. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To choose Auditors for the ensuing year.
7. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Note: The above warrant is unofficial. The official warrant with changes, if any, will be posted at least fourteen days prior to the district meeting.

FREMONT SCHOOL BOARD

James H. O'Connell

Mary Stiner

Ann Davis

School Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Fremont, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Laurence Pettengill Hall - Ellis School in said District on the thirteenth day of March 1978, at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
2. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
3. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from the Federal, State and County governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs, Program for the economically disadvantaged for training programs, in such sum or sums as may be available from such program.
4. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, Local or Private Agencies.
5. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to provide high school transportation to Pinkerton Academy and to Sanborn Regional High School.
6. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.
7. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

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FREMONT SCHOOL BOARD

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School Budget

Purpose of Appropriation	Approved Budget 1977-78	School Bd's Budget 1978-79	Budget Committee 1978-79
Administration			
Salaries	1,025.00	925.00	925.00
Contracted Services	400.00	550.00	400.00
Other Expenses	425.00	510.00	460.00
Instruction			
Salaries	111,392.00	114,469.00	114,469.00
Textbooks	1,870.00	1,770.00	1,770.00
Library and mAudiovisual Mat. .	1,880.00	1,790.00	2,190.00
Teaching Supplies	6,853.00	7,275.00	7,275.00
Contracted Services	1,850.00	1,975.00	1,975.00
Other Expenses	2,045.00	2,060.00	2,060.00
Attendance Services	25.00	25.00	25.00
Health Services	4,157.00	4,294.00	4,294.00
Pupil Transportation	20,680.00	20,680.00	20,680.00
Operation of Plant			
Salaries	8,752.00	9,591.00	9,591.00
Supplies	2,250.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Contracted Services	445.00	749.00	749.00
Heat	7,000.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Utilities	4,750.00	4,750.00	5,405.00
Other Expenses	50.00	10.00	10.00
Maintenance of Plant	6,855.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Fixed Charges			
Employee Retirement and FICA .	9,624.34	10,667.12	10,667.12
Insurance	4,999.00	5,667.00	5,667.00
School Lunch and Spec. Milk...	11,113.00	11,760.00	11,760.00
Student-Body Activities	750.00	1,100.00	1,100.00
Community Activities	100.00	100.00	100.00
Capital Outlay			
Sites	10.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Buildings	310.00	10.00	10.00
Equipment	225.00	620.00	620.00
Debt Service			
Principal of Debt	18,600.00	18,600.00	18,600.00
Interest on Debt	9,390.21	8,477.17	8,477.17
Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State			
Tuition	151,105.00	181,533.00	181,533.00
Transportation	2,100.00	3,430.00	3,430.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	10,770.45	10,723.71	10,723.71
Expenditures to other than Public Schools	3,099.00		
Total Appropriations	404,900.00	438,611.00	439,466.00

Estimated Revenues

Revenues and Credits	Approved Revenues 1977-78	School Bd's Budget 1978-79	Budget Committee 1978-79
Unencumbered Balance	11,002.00		
Revenue from State Sources			
Sweepstakes	4,107.00	4,107.00	4,107.00
School Building Aid	7,111.00	7,111.00	7,111.00
From Federal Sources			
Sch. Lunch and Spec. Milk Pro. .	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Local Revenue Except Taxes			
Trust Fund Income		400.00	400.00
Rent	1,750.00	1,750.00	1,750.00
School Lunch Salaries	5,678.00	6,260.00	6,260.00
Total School Revenues and Credits	34,648.00	24,628.00	24,628.00
District Assessment	370,252.00	413,983.00	414,838.00
Total Appropriations	404,900.00	438,611.00	439,466.00

School District Meeting

March 7, 1977

The School District Meeting for the Town of Fremont opened at 8:00 p.m. at the Laurence Pettengill Hall - Ellis School in said district. Mr. George H. Baker, Moderator, made the following announcement:

The conduct of this meeting will be orderly. I will use as a guide in it's conduct the Simplified Parliamentary Rules, Robert Rules of Order Revised, The New Hampshire Annual School District Meeting Handbook and for points of law, the Revised Statutes State of New Hampshire Annotated.

So that all may hear and participate fully when seeking the chair's recognition, please rise, and raise your hand. When recognized, please state your name clearly so that it may be recorded. Please speak slowly and loudly that all may hear.

The only persons other than Fremont School district legal voters that will be recognized are - The Superintendent of Schools or his agents and Mr. Standen, Principal of Ellis School.

I will now read the articles of the official warrant to be acted upon at this meeting. Then we will act upon each article separately. No article other than those contained in the official warrant may be introduced at this district meeting. I use RSA 197:5 annotated as reference.

ARTICLE 1.

To hear the reports of agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Mr. James O'Connell moved that the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen be accepted as printed in the 1977 school district report. Mrs. Ruth Anderson seconded the motion. The motion was carried by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 2.

To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

Mr. Robert Louis made the motion that this article be taken up under Article 8. Mrs. Ruth Anderson seconded the motion. The motion was carried by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 3.

To see if the District will vote to request and to accept the allocation and withdrawal of Revenue Sharing Funds if voted by the Town Meeting of March 8, 1977 in the sum of \$8,000 to be used to reduce the principal on the outstanding capital building debt.

Mrs. Ruth Anderson moved that the District vote to request and to accept the allocation and withdrawal of Revenue Sharing Funds if voted by the Town Meeting of March 8, 1977 in the sum of \$8000.00 to be used to reduce the principal on the outstanding capital building debt. Mr. Robert Louis seconded the motion. The motion was carried by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 4.

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from Federal, 'state and County governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs Program for the economically disadvantaged for training programs, in such sum or sums as may be available from said program.

Mr. Robert Louis moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, contract for, accept and expend aid from the Federal State and County governments in connection with the Manpower Jobs, Program for the economically disadvantaged for training programs, in such sum or sums as may be available from said program. Mrs. Ruth Anderson seconded the motion. Motion carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE 5.

To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, Local or Private Agencies.

Mr. Robert Louis moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and spend in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State Local or Private Agencies.

ARTICLE 6.

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to provide high school transportation to Sanborn Regional High School and to Pinkerton Academy.

Mr. James O'Connell moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to provide high school transportation to Sanborn Regional High School and Pinkerton Academy. Mr. Robert Louis seconded the motion.

Discussion followed.

Mr. Larry Whitman made the motion to amend the article to read:

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to provide high school transportation to Sanborn Regional High School (deleting the words - *and to Pinkerton Academy*. Mr. Steve Menard seconded the motion. Amendment was carried by a voice vote.

Original article with amendment to read: To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to provide high school transportation to Sanborn Regional High School.

Original article as amended passed by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 7.

To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to meet with the authorities of Pinkerton Academy to discuss a long-term high school tuition contract.

Mr. James O'Connell moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to meet with the authorities of Pinkerton Academy to discuss a long-term high school tuition contract. Mr. Philip Davis seconded the motion.

Discussion followed.

Mrs. Ruth Anderson offered the following amendment: To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to meet with the authorities of Sanborn Regional and Pinkerton Academy to discuss a long term high school tuition contract, also to bring back all information at next year's School District meeting in regards to course descriptions offered at each school along with any other necessary information. The motion as amended was seconded by Mr. Larry Whitman.

Discussion followed.

Amendment was carried by voice vote.

Original article as amended to read: To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to meet with the authorities of Sanborn Regional and Pinkerton Academy to discuss a long term High School tuition contract, also to bring back all information at next year's School District Meeting in regards to course descriptions offered at each School along with any other necessary information.

Original article as amended passed by voice vote.

ARTICLES 8 and 2.

To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

Mrs. Ruth Anderson moved that the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$404,900.00 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district. The motion was seconded by James O'Connell.

Discussion followed pertaining to the indebtedness of the School District. The School Board answered the question.

The motion was carried by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 9.

To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Mrs. Ruth Anderson made the motion to adjourn. Mr. Robert Louis seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

Mary A. Anderson

The foregoing is a true record of the meeting as held, attest:
Mary A. Anderson, Clerk
Fremont School District

Report of the School District Treasurer

for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977

Cash on Hand July 1, 1976		28,925.58
Current Appropriation	288,620.43	
Revenue from State Sources	30,420.97	
Revenue from Federal Sources	7,084.27	
Received from all Other Sources	22, 075.63	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		348,201.30
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year. .		377,126.88
Less School Board Orders Paid		365,234.66
Banance on Hand June 30, 1977		11,892.22

July 26, 1977

Elizabeth J. Stanley
District Treasurer

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Fremont, N. H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977, and find them correct in all respects.

September 13, 1977

Herman Ostendorf
Auditor

Detailed List of Payments

Fremont School District

Administration

Salaries for Administration

Ruth Anderson (Chairman)	\$ 275.00	
James O'Connell (Clerk)	250.00	
Robert Louis (Member)	225.00	
Elizabeth Stanley (Treasurer)	225.00	
George Baker (Moderator)	25.00	
Mary Anderson (District Clerk)	25.00	1,025.00

Contracted Services for Administration

Herman Ostendorf	150.00	
Perkins Holland	175.00	
Cecelia O'Connell	90.00	415.00

Other Expenses for Administration

American School Board Journal	66.00	
Raymond Flower Shop	44.00	
Heart Association - N. H.	10.00	

Elizabeth Stanley	52.98	
Robert Louis	4.16	
N. H. School Boards Association	129.00	
Public School Budget	7.95	
Exeter Newsletter Co.	40.75	
Sonny's Garden Center	6.00	
Castle Publications Inc.	3.00	
Rockingham County News	11.00	374.84
Instruction		
Salaries for Instruction		98,470.00
Textbooks		1,339.16
School Libraries and Audio Visual		1,233.16
Teaching Supplies		
Modern Curriculum	167.14	
Trustworth Store	22.30	
W. E. Aubuchon Co.	37.32	
Polymetric Services	5.95	
Scott Foresman Co.	553.20	
3M	65.16	
Jenn Publications	45.15	
Louise's Sport Shop	140.90	
Northern Supply	2,269.14	
Fisher Scientific	335.72	
Harper and Row Publishers	348.52	
Continental Press Inc.	104.77	
Psychological Corporation	104.77	
Connecticut Valley	98.38	
Edmund Scientific	104.45	
Harcourt Brace	380.05	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	94.54	
Laidlaw Brothers	5.50	
McGraw Hill Book Company	45.37	
Millekin Publishing Company	11.98	
NASCO	101.93	
Science Research	33.32	
Silver Burdett Co.	147.46	
Slosson Ed. Pub. Inc.	9.30	
Social Studies Sch.	12.20	
SVE - Singer	16.00	
Turtox Cambosco	123.79	
Hayes School Publications	7.50	
Christopher Lee Pub.	54.93	
Scholastic Magazine	94.00	
Xerox Educational Publications	254.30	
Allyn and Bacon	245.82	
Follett Publishing Company	17.45	6,044.53
Contracted Services for Instruction		
The Rehabilitation Center	450.00	
Rinehart Incorporated	275.00	

Learning Disabilities Center	510.00	
Robert L. Hall	180.00	1,415.00
Other Expenses for Instruction		
Ellis Elementary School	509.62	
Ruth Anderson	14.00	
Squamscott Press	60.45	
Trustworthy Store	19.10	
John J. Carney Ph.D.	25.00	
Creative Classrooms	50.00	
Martco Engravers	96.40	
Mrs. Joan Rice	25.00	
Edward O. Hatch	100.05	
Mark Sullivan	180.00	
Classic Pubilcations	25.60	
Educators Progress	13.70	
National Historical	10.00	
N. H. A. S. P.	145.00	
Subscription Fulfill	80.97	
American History	10.00	
Batchelders Book Store	7.00	
Manchester Union Leader	66.00	
N. H. Music Association	5.00	
N. H. School Boards Association	24.00	
Dunfey/Sheraton	23.89	
Robert Schur	152.00	
Pearl Holmes	5.00	
North Country Ed.	25.00	
DeLong Subscription	12.50	
Economics Press	14.80	
Scholastic Magazine	36.00	
University of Chicago	10.20	1,736.73
Attendance Services		
Salaries for Attendance Services		
Walter Cook		25.00
Health Services		
Salaries for Health Services.		3,552.00
Other Expenses for Health Services		
School Health Ser.	91.01	
Kingston Pharmacy	111.16	
Personal Products	7.75	
Western Psychological Service	10.80	
Paul Gustavson, M. D.	60.00	
Phyllis Streeter	25.00	305.72
Pupil Transportation		
Contracted Services for Transportation. . .		20,680.00
Operation of Plant		
Salaries for Operation of Plant		7,927.09
Supplies for Operation of Plant		

Jack Balon Enterprise	32.13	
Northern Supply Company	45.25	
Sherwin Williams Company	54.16	
M. D. Stetson Company	1,867.55	
Trustworthy Store	55.15	
Fremont Motor Sales	14.00	
Seamans Supply Company	221.53	
Portland Glass	21.60	
EBCO Manufacturing Company	26.43	2,337.80
Contracted Services for Operation of Plant		
Myron W. Cate		178.00
Heat		
Nichols Oil Company		5,215.00
Utilities		
Public Service Co. of New Hampshire. .	3,483.88	
New England Telephone Company . . .	672.17	
Suburban Propane	354.03	4,510.08
Maintenance of Plant		
Replacement of Equipment		
Fremont Furniture	150.00	
Smith Office Equipment	278.00	428.00
Repairs to Equipment		
A. B. Dick Company	4.66	
Portland Glass	19.13	23.79
Contracted Services		
Northeast Audio Visual	136.79	
Paul's Radio and T.V.	15.75	
Furniture Doctor	23.00	
A. B. Dick Company	74.66	
Pioneer Business Machines	20.05	
Smith's Fire Equipment	14.00	
Barber Coleman	336.00	
Exeter Tree Service	99.00	
Door Control Inc.	565.40	
Charles K. Rowe	2,080.70	
Haverhill Plate Glass	52.00	
Nichols Oil Company	144.48	
Raymond Townsend	125.38	
Iafolla Construction Company	74.10	
Dallaire Building	923.00	
Palmer and Sicard	2,091.08	
J. R. Pepper Electric	110.00	
Simplex Time Recorder	121.00	
Beaudet Brothers	100.00	
Philip S. Tambling	370.50	7,477.09
Repair to Buildings		
Raymond Building	40.23	
Sherwin Williams	25.76	
Portland Glass	9.78	75.77

Other Expenses for Maintenance		
H and D Evans Nurseries		10.00
Fixed Charges		
Teacher Retirement System		2,147.42
F.I.C.A.		5,585.99
Insurance		
Bartlett Insurance Agency	4,357.00	
Blue Cross Blue Shield	766.60	5,123.60
School Lunch and Special Milk Program		
Salaries School Lunch Personnel	6,257.86	
Refund - Salaries	-6,257.86	-0-
Reimbursement of Federal Monies		7,670.40
Reimbursement of District Monies		130.10
Student Body Activities		
Salaries		350.00
Transfer of Monies		
to Student Body Activity Fund		400.00
Capital Outlay		
New Equipment		
Hovey's Audio Visual	3.16	
Tom Ray Office Supply	198.82	
William Standen	1,000.00	
Refunds	-986.95	
Cohen Machinery	205.40	
Smith Office Equipment	110.00	
Fan Specialists	168.00	698.43
Debt Service		
Principal of Debt	18,600.00	
Interest on Debt		10,110.27
Outgoing Transfer Accounts		
Tuition In-State		
Supervisory Union No. 16	4,423.92	
Pinkerton Academy	7,478.52	
Exeter School District	2,895.12	
Treas. Raymond School District	1,271.00	
Dover Public Schools	629.28	
Sanborn Regional	113,196.09	
Refunds	-179.19	129,723.74
Transportation In-State		
Mrs. Harvey Gove	686.40	
Mrs. Joyce LeClair	916.98	1,603.38
District Share of S. U. Expense		10,360.97
Transportation - Private Schools		
George Steele		507.60
Total Net Expenditures for all Purposes		357,810.66
Cash on Hand June 30, 1977		11,892.22
TOTAL		369,702.88

1976-77 Receipts

Local Sources

From Town	288,620.43	
Building Rent	1,840.00	
Revenue Sharing	18,600.00	
Other Revenue	469.49	
TOTAL		309,529.92

State Sources

Foundation Aid	7,672.96	
School Building Aid	7,110.76	
Sweepstakes	9,379.39	
TOTAL	24,163.11	

Federal Sources

School Lunch	7,084.27	
TOTAL		7,084.27
TOTAL FROM ALL SOURCES.....		340,777.30
Cash on Hand July 1, 1976		28,925.58
TOTAL		369,702.88

Superintendent's Report

A major development in public education, which has the potential of creating an additional and heavy financial burden upon the already overburdened taxpayers in New Hampshire, is that of providing individualized educational programs for the handicapped.

In compliance with State Law, and within the framework of limited educational programs for the handicapped, Fremont has been doing as much as it can for these children — a total of three at present. In fact, the State Law requires that Fremont pay only state average per pupil cost for these children, and yet, Fremont has been paying the total tuition, which is presently averaging approximately \$1,000 per pupil over the state average.

However, with the enactment by the Federal Government of Public Law 94-142 (Education for all Handicapped Children Act), effective September 1, 1978, a whole new ball game for educating the handicapped emerges. Incidentally, some authorities claim this new law took effect last October 1, 1977 — however, makes little difference at this time. The new law states unequivocally that by September 1, 1978, each handicapped child between the age of *three* and *twenty-one* shall have available to him/her a *"free appropriate public education"* with emphasis upon a special educational program designed to meet the *unique* needs of *each individual handicapped child*. An annual tuition of \$10,000 per handicapped child could easily be the rule rather than the exception.

To help the local school districts comply with, and to finance this new requirement, the Federal Government will pay approximately \$60 per handicapped child for the school year 1977-78 and will build this amount up to approximately \$500 per child by 1983. Beyond that point no commitments are being made.

The New Hampshire Attorney General, David H. Souther, has recently ruled that the local school district will have to pay the whole tuition regarding 94-142, since the State Legislature has not appropriated any money to help the local school district finance this new act, except in cases of extreme handicaps, i.e., the severely crippled, the deaf and the blind.

Principal Standen's report this year relates how well Ellis School ranks according to a recent inspection by the State Department of Education.

Mr. Standen reports:

On November 16, 1977, Mr. John Economopoulos, Assistant Chief, Division of Instruction from the State Department of Education visited Ellis School for the purpose of evaluation.

As you know the main objectives of the visitation were to determine and confirm the status of Ellis School "Minimum Standards and Recommendations for New Hampshire Public Elementary School Approval". The accountability report, DESS Form 2, was submitted to the Division of Instruction by Ellis School and was used as a basis for the

discussion and visitation. The information gathered is helpful to the superintendent, school and staff in order to prepare for a more comprehensive self-evaluation strategy in the future.

A major interest on the part of all school administrators was the need to do a thorough and comprehensive self-study of the total school program, facilities and services in grades one through eight. The Division of Instruction has supported this viable effort and has commended Ellis School's interest in self-evaluation.

The process of self-evaluation should lead to an increased awareness of heightened commitment to the educational goals of the Fremont Community. A quality self-evaluation should serve as a basis for (1) maintaining that which is good, (2) terminating that which is poor, (3) modifying that which can be improved, and (4) adding that which is needed.

The local school board of Fremont should be commended for the help they have provided to Ellis School.

The majority of the standards have been met by Ellis School. This evidence of local support is the important point to be emphasized because the local school board, administration and staff as well as the community believe in providing children with a balanced elementary school program.

The Ellis Elementary School has met 90% or more of the present standards, therefore, Ellis is an approved elementary school. The Department of Education has commended (1) the school principal for his leadership, (2) the children for their good behavior and the staff for the good school environment they encourage, (3) the custodian for maintaining a clean facility and (4) the local school board for the significant improvements. The department recommends continued support for library materials and books.

Of the fifty standards that are evaluated four were not met by Ellis School. They were:

Standard No. 1 - Guidance Counselor - Part-time

Standard No. 2 - Certified Librarian - Part-time

Standard No. 6 - Art Teacher - Part-time

Standard No. 7 - Music Teacher - Part-time

It is hoped that the above standards will be met in the not too distant future.

Respectfully submitted,
Francis C. Wilson
Superintendent of Schools

Report of the Fremont School Board

The Fremont School Board is very aware of the fact that most of the tax dollars collected in town go toward the cost of education. Therefore, the Board has tried, and will continue to try to give the children the best possible education while still keeping budget increases to a minimum. For example: the school budget for the coming year shows an 8.4% increase. Of that figure, over 7% reflects a tuition increase for high school and special education students. The Board has no voice in setting these amounts. But over such matters which the Board exercises spending control, the increase has been held to less than one percent.

Ellis School was evaluated on November 16, 1977, by a representative of the N. H. Department of Education. The evaluation put the school in Category 2, which means it meets 90% of the required minimum standards. To be placed in Category 1, which is the highest rating, Ellis School would need a part time art teacher, music teacher, guidance counselor, and certified librarian. These are areas which should be improved in future years, but with the present tax rate the Board feels these additional expenses cannot be funded by the taxpayers at this time.

This year has seen the start of a volunteer program at Ellis School. Children have had art courses, crafts, published a newspaper, and had "Career Day" speakers. These volunteers have also made it possible to have extra playground supervision, one-to-one classroom help, and additional clerical and library work done. In addition, the Fremont PTA has sponsored assemblies for the children, a dental clinic, and a very successful Christmas program, plus other items.

The Fremont School Board would like to thank PTA members, volunteer parents, and members of the community who have given their time and talents to add "extras" to the educational program at no cost to the taxpayer. The Board would also like to remind everyone that board meetings are open to the public. They are held the fourth Wednesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at Ellis School.

James H. O'Connell
Mary T. Stiner
Ann W. Davis

Ellis School Statistical Data — 1976-1977

Number of different pupils enrolled during the year	208
Total Average Daily Membership	196.9
Total Average Daily Attendance	184.9
Total Average Daily Absence	12.0
Average Percent Attendance	94.0
Number completed Grade 8	30

Ellis School September Enrollment — 1977-1978

Grade 1	31	Grade 5	19
Grade 2	26	Grade 6	24
Grade 3	26	Grade 7	20
Grade 4	14	Grade 8	24

Total 184

Pupils Attending Sanborn Regional High School

1977-1978

GRADE 9

Bezanson, Lisa
Bolduc, Lisa
Bolduc, Ricky
Bolduc, Ruthanne
Cadiero, William
Carrico, Teresa
Gaudet, David
Holmes, Kevin
Johnstone, Kathleen
Keddy, Peter

Kowalczyk, John
Larson, Jennifer
Larson Julie
Lessard, Jeffrey
Linehan, Nancy
Martel, Jerry
Mercier, Albert
Poole, Michael
Salois, Scott
Spinnato, Elice

GRADE 10

Blades, Darlene
Boden
Denney, Julie
Duerr, Elizabeth
Eaton, Audrey
Ebert, Suzanne
Edgerly, Frank
Emery, Colleen
Fockler, Gregg
Fortier, Donna

Gaudet, Wendy
LeClair, Scott
McKay, James
Menard, Kathi
Patnaude, Joanne
Porter, Peter
Rislove, Richard
Stanley, Jane
Waterhouse, Mark
Whitmen, Sheryl

GRADE 11

Bolduc, Rhonda
Carrico, Richard
Corrina, Donald
Denny, Elaine
Emery, Sheri
Hitchcock, Wade
Jalbert, Brian
Lafayette, Geoffrey
Larson, Jacqueline
Lessard, Anita

Mercier, Karen
Peppard, Vanessa
Rislove, Michael
Sheldon, Richard
Sheldon, Timothy
Spinnato, Roseanne
Stanley, Paul
Stiner, Jennifer
Strople, Denise
Tripp, Keith
Walker, Virginia

GRADE 12

Baker, Laurie
Blades, Douglas
Cadiero, Annette
Collins, Karen
Cook, Joyce
Copp, Allen
Danforth, Paula

Davis, Cheryl
Fuller, Norman
Hall, Cathy
Haywood, Sandra
Holmes, Leon
Linehan, Thomas
Marsh, William
Smith, Edward

Pupils Attending Exeter High School — 1977-1978

Edward Pickard

William LeBlanc

Andy Thibodeau

Pupils Attending Raymond Consolidated Schools

Cheryl Rock

Daniel McKay

Pupils Attending Rockingham School

John Gove

Michael LeClair

Marie Guanga

Pinkerton Academy

GRADE 9

Anderson, Lisa
Bishop, Wendy
Buhrman, Sheridan
Cannon, Mary Jo
Copp, Kevin
Henson, Albert
Langton, Todd
McKay, Tammy
McRae, Danielle
Rice, John
Rice, Josh
Kelly, Michael

GRADE 10

Bassett, George
Bernier, Todd
Buhrman, Charles
Marquis, Natalie
Nicholson, Steve
Healey, James

GRADE 11

Nicholson, Frank

Dover High School

Diane Davis

Robert Davis

David Downing

Mark Downing

Raymond Roy

Supervisory Union No. 14 Administrative Salaries — 1977-1978

	Share of Superintendent's Salary	Share of Asst. Supts. Salary
Chester	4,704.00	3,949.40
Epping	7,584.00	6,367.40
Fremont	2,832.00	2,377.70
Newmarket	8,880.00	7,455.50
	24,000.00	20,150.00

School Calendar 1978-79

School opens September 6, 1978 (Wednesday)	
School closes December 21, 1978 (Thursday)	74 days
School opens January 3, 1979 (Wednesday)	
School closes February 16, 1979 (Friday)	33 days
School opens February 26, 1979 (Monday)	
School closes April 20, 1979 (Friday)	40 days
School opens April 30, 1979 (Monday)	
School closes June 14, 1979 (Thursday)	33 days
	180 days

NO SCHOOL DAYS

October 13 - Teachers' Convention
November 23-24 - Thanksgiving Recess
December 22 - January 2 - Christmas Vacation
February 19 - February 23 - Winter Vacation
April 23 - April 27 - Spring Vacation
May 30 - Memorial Day

Marriages Registered in the Town of Fremont for the year ending December 31, 1977

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Date of Birth of Each	Name of Parents of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
Apr. 2	Fremont, N. H.	Rodney — St. Laurent Linda Jean Hughes	March 6, 1957 June 6, 1946	Romeo R. St. Laurent Arlene Webster Kenneth R. Clay Irene Hall	Rev. Charles L. Banks Fremont, N. H.
Apr. 30	Raymond, N. H.	Arthur W. Groteau Jill I. Abbott	March 15, 1939 November 8, 1946	Arthur J. Groteau Yvonne Gagnon Harold J. Beane Blanche I. Bean	Retenah Y. Pietrowski Raymond, N. H.
May 7	Fremont, N. H.	Robert E. Rines Denise Letourneau	September 27, 1955 July 24, 1951	Daniel S. Rines Lurana Knowles Kenneth R. Clay Irene Hall	Harold J. Doucette Fremont, N. H.
May 28	Fremont N. H.	Brian D. Collins Theresa I. Doerr	Nov. 26, 1956 Sept. 29, 1956	Oral W. Collins, Jr. Verna M. Middleton John J. Doerr Immaculate Desimone	Harold J. Doucette Fremont, N. H.
Jun. 12	Raymond, N. H.	Merritt R. Ball, Jr. Nancy J. Daigle	August 12, 1922 Sept. 5, 1941	Merritt R. Ball Annie Shirton Joel Bennett Helen Nichols	Marcelle M. J. Worth Raymond, N. H.
Jun. 25	Newton, N. H.	Walter E. Cook, Jr. Debra A. Crepeau	Oct. 2, 1956 Sept. 24, 1957	Walter E. Cook Elaine Ryan Norman Crepeau Doris Legault	Marjorie Moisan Newton, N. H.
Jul. 16	Portsmouth, N. H.	Edward James Campbell Linda Jean Lunt	Feb. 28, 1953 Apr. 24, 1955	William J. Campbell Kathryn Curvel William R. Lunt Jr. Roberta M. Trico	W. Charles Hodgins Kittery Point, Mc. Rector Emeritus
Aug. 6	Fremont, N. H.	Charles R. Pool Joan — Turner	Dec. 29, 1955 Feb. 20, 1957	Arthur R. Pool Joan Blatchford Walter R. Turner, Jr. Bernice L. Rand	Rev. Charles Banks Fremont, N. H.

Aug. 27	Newton, N. H.	James M. Sullivan	June 6, 1951	James F. Sullivan	Rev. John Finnigan	Priest
		Susan M. Johnson	Jan. 18, 1955	Dorothy — Norton Richard P. Johnson Patricia — Beauregard	Newton, N. H.	
Sep. 24	Fremont, N. H.	Peter — Tomaszczuk	May 24, 1953	Basil Tomaszczuk	Rev. Donald P. Dickenson	Minister
		Rosemarie G. LeBlanc	Oct. 6, 1958	Anna — Czernow William J. LeBlanc, Sr. Eleanor — Bailey	Andover, Mass.	
Sep. 30	Epping, N. H.	Everett E. Rickett, Jr.	Feb. 23, 1954	Everett E. Rickett, Sr.	Beatrice Ross	J. P.
		Linda L. Elliott	Aug. 17, 1961	Alice — Doughty David M. Elliott Betty — Mandigo	W. Epping, N. H.	
Oct. 22	Woodstock, Conn.	John Chester Canney	Sept. 23, 1950	Chester James Canney	Stephen B. Lincoln	J. P.
		Constance Alice Healey	June 3, 1943	Mae W. Sayden Albert John Beauchemin Mildred Laura Royer	E. Woodstock, Conn.	
Oct. 22	Fremont, N. H.	Terry A. Bowman	Sept. 24, 1952	Charles E. Bowman	Rev. William B. Wylie	Minister
		Carole A. Emery	July 30, 1956	Anne C. Grimes Clifford W. Emery Marlene L. Loranger	Milford, N. H.	
Oct. 29	Exeter, N. H.	Lloyd Ray Metevier	Aug. 20 1955	Lloyd E. Metivier	Rev. Rocco Memolo	Priest
		Margaret Mary Colcord	Nov. 7, 1955	Betty F. Poole James W. Colcord Margaret M. A. Kukesh	Exeter, N. H.	
Nov. 20	Fremont, N. H.	Roger Roye Winslow	Feb. 14, 1946	John H. Winslow	Harold Small	Minister
		Virginia Mary Compagna	Dec. 2, 1948	Judy Roye Leo Compagna Blanche Hebert	Fremont, N. H.	

Births Registered in the Town of Fremont, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1977

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Jan. 4	Exeter, N. H.	James Michael Tidd	M	Frederick Wallace Tidd	Janyce Elaine Young	N. H.	Mass.
Mar. 12	Exeter, N. H.	Janis Annette Jalbert	F	Joseph Alfred Jalbert	Nancy Lee Gaines	N. Y.	N. H.
Mar. 22	Exeter, N. H.	David Michael Mercier	M	Michael Paul Mercier	Deborah Lee Townsend	N. H.	Calif.
Jun. 13	Exeter, N. H.	Chad Douglas Murphy	M	Douglas Wilcox Murphy	Mary Evelyn Call	Mass.	Mass.
Jun. 24	Exeter, N. H.	Michael John Kalinowski	M	John Thomas Kalinowski	Judith Ann Keller	N. J.	N. Y.
Jul. 25	Exeter, N. H.	John Delbert Knott, III	M	John Delbert Knott, Jr.	Elizabeth Maryanne Kiersey	Mass.	N. H.
Aug. 2	Exeter, N. H.	Kate Elizabeth Lindsay	F	Harry Hamilton Lindsay	Marcia Elizabeth Cross	Mass.	Penn.
Aug. 6	Methuen, Mass.	Melinda Sue Beaulieu	F	Stephen Norman Beaulieu	Marla Elaine Smith	Mass.	Mass.
Aug. 7	Exeter, N. H.	Shawn Richard Donovan	M	Richard John Donovan	Sandra Jean Harthertz	Mass.	Mass.
Aug. 26	Exeter, N. H.	Annette Lynn Braley	F	Stephen Herbert Braley	Linda Marie Harriman	N. H.	N. H.
Oct. 5	Exeter, N. H.	Kristie Lee Frost	F	Wayne Guy Frost	Irene Claudette Proulx	N. H.	N. H.
Oct. 11	Concord, N. H.	Andrew James Wines	M	Robert Glen Wines	Cynthia Ann Tardiff	N. J.	Calif.
Oct. 26	Exeter, N. H.	Heidi Michelle Blauvelt	F	Richard Irving Blauvelt	Janet Elizabeth Bloom	Mass.	Mass.
Oct. 28	Beverly, Mass.	Kristen Beth Gazeaud	F	Edward Lee Gazeaud	Kathleen Louise Adams	Mass.	Mass.
Dec. 27	Exeter, N. H.	Timothy Joseph Bolduc	M	Charles Nelson Bolduc	Carlene Marie Georgantis	N. H.	N. H.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Fremont, N. H. for the year ending December 31, 1977

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 19	Manchester, N. H.	Harry M. Kelleher, Jr.	68	New York	M	Retired Machinist	Harry M. Kelleher, Sr.	Minnie J. Harris
Feb. 16	Fremont, N. H.	Ermine Belanger Allard	85	Maine	F	Housewife	Theodore Belanger	Francell Colbath
Feb. 23	Fremont, N. H.	Gertrude A. Maguire	87	Mass.	F	Social Worker	Daniel Maguire	Catherine Regan
Feb. 28	Fremont, N. H.	Iva Spaulding Gordon	76	Mass.	F	Housewife	Charles C. Spaulding	Sadie Adams
Mar. 14	Exeter, N. H.	Hollis C. Magoon	63	N. H.	M	Apartment Manager	Iver Magoon	Alice Cragin
Apr. 2	Fremont, N. H.	Evelyn N. (Isaac) Sargent	80	Unknown	F	Housewife	Alfred E. Isaac	Ellen Maybelle Gilbert
Apr. 25	Manchester, N. H.	Maurice Leon Holmes	65	N. H.	M	Retired Barrel Maker	Fred Holmes	Florence West
Apr. 25	Fremont, N. H.	Ida R. Walker	78	Mass.	F	Housewife	William Ried	Ethel Casson
May 5	Exeter, N. H.	Laurence A. Pettengill	84	N. H.	M	Self Emp. Poultry	George Pettengill	Mary Hall
Jun. 25	Exeter, N. H.	Marie Marguerite Brown	76	Mass.	F	Shoemaker	Arthur Champagne	Eugenie Jacques
Jul. 16	Fremont, N. H.	Sadie M. (Robbins) Michie	89	Maine	F	Nurse	John Robbins	Georgianna Harper
Jul. 16	Fremont, N. H.	Kenneth Spaulding Rowe	73	N. H.	M	Navy Yard	Charles Rowe	Morna Spaulding
Jul. 18	Fremont, N. H.	Eleanor Folsom Dyer	72	Virginia	F	Housewife	Paris Pen Hallow Folsom	Ida Snelson
Aug. 5	Exeter, N. H.	Charlotte Skidmore	83	Sweden	F	Housewife	—Blomgren	Amanda —
Aug. 29	Fremont, N. H.	Katherine Delaney	72	Mass.	F	Bookkeeper	Patrick Delaney	Katherine MacDonald
Sep. 22	Manchester, N. H.	Sante L. Dinorsce	44	N. H.	M	Unknown	Vincent Dinorsce	Rita Della Pella
Oct. 3	Exeter, N. H.	Ira — Young	60	Unknown	M	Mill Worker	George S. Young	Abbe M. West
Oct. 4	Exeter, N. H.	Stephen M. Sherman	23	Mass.	M	Farmer	Harold R. Sherman	Nancy Befuhs
Nov. 5	Brentwood, N. H.	Henry — Ostendorf	90	Germany	M	Contractor	Herman — Ostendorf	Unknown
Nov. 7	Fremont, N. H.	Wilma Ruth Brown	80	Indiana	F	Housewife	Sheridan I Hale	Zula Hornaday
Dec. 9	Exeter, N. H.	Nelson W. Beede	75	N. H.	M	Ret. Store Owner	Clifton Beede	Mary Addie Robinson
Dec. 15	Fremont, N. H.	Louise C. Card	77	N. H.	F	Shoemaker	Frederick Thompson	Annie E. B. Webster

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